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Nielsen pleads guilty

By MICHAEL DANIELS

Christian Nielsen pleaded guilty Tuesday to what state police called "the worst homicide in Maine in 14 years."

In a three-day killing spree that began on Friday of Labor Day Weekend 2006, Nielsen killed four people here.

Nielsen, 32, pled guilty to shooting James Whitehurst, 50, of Arkansas; Julie Bullard, 65, of Newry; Selby Bullard, 30, of Bethel; and Cynthia Beatson, 43, also of Bethel.

Julie Bullard owned the Black Bear Bed and Breakfast in Newry, where Whitehurst and Nielsen were staying at the time of the murders.

Selby Bullard and Beatson had both been employed at Apple Tree Realty in Bethel.

The murders began on Friday, Sept. 1, when Nielsen shot Whitehurst off a woods road in Upton, and then burned his body.

Faces 25 years to life on each of four murder counts.

The women were shot on Sunday and Monday, as Nielsen attempted to cover up the first crime.

The women's dismembered bodies were found Labor Day evening, after Nielsen called his parents, who came to the inn and discovered the murders.

His parents notified the state police.

Nielsen first confessed to the crimes during an interview that evening in the Newry Fire Station.

Nielsen's formal legal plea Tuesday, came against the advice of his attorney, who said he had hoped Nielsen would end up committed to a psychiatric hospital rather than sentenced to state prison.

Nielsen faces sentences of 25 years to life on each of the four charges.

A sentencing hearing has been scheduled for Thursday, Oct. 18, at 9 a.m. in Oxford County Superior Court in South Paris.

Nielsen spent most of his childhood in Upton. He at-

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Elizabeth is also available for individual readings on Friday, October 12 and Saturday, October 13.

For More Information call 824-2204

Telstar Homecoming basks in a new glow



The 2007 Telstar Homecoming parade and bonfire in Bethel Friday evening drew an enthusiastic crowd. Here members of the Telstar Band lead the parade to the empty lot across from the Casablanca Cinema, where the bonfire burned. Refreshments were sold under a tent, and students toasted marshmallows at small campfires built nearby. Telstar English teacher Doug Bennett said the school's Student Council has discussed the idea of such an event for a few years, and it became a reality with the support of a strong parent group led by Barbara and Francis Dumont, the Savage family, and Loretta Holt. "We are hoping for bigger and better next year," said Bennett. "It was nice to see so many people get involved. I think Bethel/SAD44 needs more reasons to get together and just enjoy the community that we live in. What better reason for gathering than our kids."

(Photo: A. Aloisio)

Sunday River pulls the plug on night skiing, for this season

By ALISON ALOISIO

Sunday River Ski Resort has shelved its application for night skiing, at least for this season.

But the resort plans to pursue the proposal for the future, and a skiway official said last week that if and when the lights do come on, they will glow with mercury bulbs rather than the traditional incandescents.

A public hearing scheduled for last Wednesday was cancelled when the skiway withdrew an application before the Planning Board.

The plan to light three slopes was first presented in August. In September, planners requested that the skiway put up an experimen-

tal light on one of the slopes, to determine from what parts of town the lighted slopes might be visible.

But the light did not go up in time for the hearing. And town officials reported last month they had received some informal negative feedback on the plan from people concerned about the visual impact of the lights.

Marvin Collins, Sunday River's vice president of operations, attended last week's board meeting.

He told planners, "We stood back and said, 'let's not push it. If we move ahead it's going

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Split board commits to sidewalk grant; ad hoc committee formed

By MICHAEL DANIELS

The effort to construct a sidewalk between Crescent Park School and Broad Street took a hesitant step forward last week.

A narrowly divided Board of Selectmen agreed to authorize a letter to Maine Department of Transportation committing the town to accept \$96,460 in state funds toward construction of the sidewalk and to allocate up to \$40,000 of town funds toward the total cost of the project.

The selectmen also appointed a seven-member ad hoc committee to study the sidewalk issue and come up with a detailed proposal.

At Bethel's annual Town Meeting in June, voters approved an article authorizing the selectmen to enter into

agreement with MDOT, but at last week's meeting two selectmen — Dennis Doyon and Jack Cross — remained opposed to the idea.

Doyon said he had more comment on the sidewalk issue "than any other piece of business since I've been a selectman."

He argued that the sidewalk plan was unfair to Mason Street property owners, some of whom would have part of their land (in the town right of way) "taken" for the sidewalk, and all of whom would have to put up with pre-dawn noise from the more involved snow removal that streets with sidewalks require.

Doyon also said he was even more troubled by the planning

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'Just because you live on Mason Street and don't want the sidewalk doesn't mean it's not going to go. And just because you don't live on Mason Street and you want the sidewalk, doesn't mean it's going to go.'

BOB EVERETT
Bethel Selectman

Andover selectmen not ready to support Med-Care project

By ALISON ALOISIO

Andover selectmen will not support, at least for now, Med-Care's proposal to build a new \$2-million station facility in Mexico.

The plan initially called for a 40-year loan, to be shared among the 11 Med-Care member towns, to pay for the building.

The Andover board sent a letter last week to Med-Care's board.

"We feel that we are unable to support this endeavor due to the fact that the 40-year loan commitment is too long to obligate the town,"

they wrote.

Med-Care had asked for letters of support from each town in order to apply for a low-interest loan from the U.S. Dept. of Agriculture.

"We thought [40 years] was too much," said selectman Hope Peterson Tuesday. "We think they should re-examine it."

She said the selectmen are open to other options.

Selectmen said last month that the deadline by which Med-Care had requested a letter — Oct. 5 — was too

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Ambulance service says shorter loan term is possible

By ALISON ALOISIO

At a sparsely attended public hearing Tuesday, Med-Care officials emphasized two points about their proposal for a new facility in Mexico.

First, the 40-year loan for the \$2-million could be modified to a 30-year loan, according to director Dean Milligan.

Second, the Med-Care board was established to give its members authority to vote on behalf of their towns on issues that include building projects.

Loan length
Milligan said at the hearing, held in Mexico, that the longer loan was initially chosen out of consideration to the smaller towns among the 11 members.

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Public Informational Meetings on School Consolidation

Please join Superintendent David W. Murphy and members of the MSAD #44 School Board to discuss the topic of School Consolidation. Meetings will take place at 6:30pm on the following dates:

Tuesday, October 16: Woodstock School/Multipurpose Room

Wednesday, October 17: Greenwood Town Office

Thursday, October 18: Newry Town Office

Tuesday, October 23: Andover School/Library

Wednesday, October 24: Crescent Park School/Cafeteria

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Letters

COLORED LEAVES WANTED

To the Editor:

Can anyone help me? I am formerly from Newry (Gould Class of '67) and currently working out of Puerto Penasco, Sonora, Mexico. The children down here are fascinated with the beauty of the autumn leaves. Could anybody send me some to show the kids what they are really like? Thank you in advance. My U.S.A. mailing address is: c/o 1501 N. Oracle Rd. Suite 1501 Tucson, AZ. 85705.

Craig Runyon
Sonora, Mexico

BUSINESS SHOWCASE, JOB FAIR

To the Editor:

The Inaugural Bethel Area Business Showcase and Job Fair is coming up on Friday, Nov. 9, from noon to 8 p.m. The Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce and the Bethel Rotary Club would like to invite all businesses in the area to take part in this. The early bird discount of \$45 for chamber members and \$65 for nonmembers has been extended to next Wednesday, Oct. 17.

The Showcase will provide the opportunity for all businesses to come together to show who they are and what they do, describe their services and products, and connect with other businesses as well as with members of the community and potential customers.

The Telstar High School Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA) has been working with the Chamber's Membership Relations Committee to organize a special event for all 11th and 12th graders. All the students will attend the Business Showcase from noon to 2 p.m., meeting local business owners and entrepreneurs. Students will have the opportunity to come back in the evening with their parents to follow up on discussions started with businesses during their school day.

Students will talk with each business about how it was started, what running that business entails, what postsecondary training was needed, and discover the vast variety of careers and businesses that are available in the Bethel area and around Maine. Businesses will be able to advertise job openings, internship programs, training projects, and community service opportunities to the students.

All types of businesses are invited to attend. Noon to 2 p.m. will be the outreach to students; 2 to 5 p.m. will be the business-to-business trade show, with businesses learning about each other, and also including a few short business seminars; 5 to 8 p.m. is open to the public, an opportunity to market each business to the local community, and encourage people to shop local.

For more information, contact the Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce at 824-2282, or any of the following committee members: Colleen Files, Michael T. Steven, Marcia Foster-Austin, Jim Bennett, Richard Johnson, or Lynn Saxton.

Robin Zinchuk

Executive Director, Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce

ALUMNI CHINESE AUCTION

To the Editor:

The Telstar Alumni Association is holding its first Chinese Auction on Saturday, Oct. 13, at the Locke Mills Legion Hall.

So, one may ask, what is a Chinese Auction? First, items for the auction are donated new or "gently used" (regiffable). The items are placed on tables with a numbered container to receive bid tickets.

Next, participants purchase an envelope of twenty or more tickets for varying rates. As many envelopes as desired may be purchased.

Then, time is allowed for participants to examine the prizes available and to put as many tickets as they wish in the item's container. They may put tickets in as many containers as they wish.

At a specified time, the containers are closed to further bidding. A number is then drawn from each container. The purchaser of the number drawn, who must be present, wins that particular prize. It is highly possible to win more than once.

There are also tables with more highly valued prizes for which individual tickets will be sold, and a 50/50 raffle.

On Saturday, the ticket sales begin at 2 p.m. and end at 4 p.m.; drawings begin at 4 p.m. and continue until all items are gone. Food will be available for purchase. If you have questions, call Sally (875-3335), Joe (533-2010), or Cindy (824-2759).

Telstar Alumni, we need your help to make this fundraiser a success. Please call the above numbers and offer your support.

Christine Greenleaf
Alumni President

Letters to the Editor. Please include your full name, signature, address and telephone number (so that we may verify authorship). The deadline for letters to the editor is 4:30 p.m. Monday. Letters submitted after that deadline will be considered for publication when circumstances permit.

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BETHEL PATHWAY WORK/CELEBRATION SUNDAY

To the Editor:

This is a call for volunteers to come out Sunday, Oct. 14, from noon to 3 p.m. to help spread loam and seed along paved edges of the newest section of Bethel Pathway — the piece of trail along the river between the new bridge and BIG Adventure. This is your chance to help finish the job.

Please bring a shovel, rake, wheelbarrow and refreshments for yourself, and report for duty at Bethel Outdoor Adventure. There will be several piles of loam already in place, and grass seed available. Many hands make the work light — please do what you can this Sunday.

Completion of this leg puts the pathway's one-way distance at 1.1 miles, which includes the bridge. It has been done through a combination of state funding and local donations of easements, services, and cash by BIG Adventure, Bethel Outdoor Adventure, Savage Land Development, Mahosuc Land Trust, Kirk Siegel, Don Murphy, Jim Sysko and John DeVivo.

Your help will round out a true town effort. The Pathway is a year-round community asset that benefits everyone who takes advantage of it. We could use you on Sunday and hope to see you there. Thank you.

Scott Cole
Bethel Town Manager

DAVIS PARK REHABILITATION FUND THANKS

To the Editor:

Thank you to Margaret Wight, Norway Savings Bank; Doug and Robin Zinchuk; Kevin and Margery Finley and Theodore and Linda Davis for your support and generous donations to the Davis Park Rehabilitation Fund.

With autumn well underway, we are nearing a time deadline to schedule a fall installation of the new playground systems. To purchase the planned playground in its entirety, donations are being accepted at Northeast Savings Bank under the account named Davis Park Rehabilitation Fund. We are nearing our goal. If you are considering making a donation, we kindly ask you do so soon, if possible, so that our plan of a fall installation date can be met. If you need more information, please contact me at 890-2133.

Thank you so much,

Stacie Melanson
Bethel

BOY SCOUTS' 'MAINE JAM 2007'

To the Editor:

We often hear how our children are not active enough or how they don't get outside to enjoy the natural beauty. There are many active outdoor opportunities available. This month you'll find a large group of our children active and outdoors while participating in a program that had its origins 100 years ago off the coast of England. The Pine Tree Council, Boy Scouts of America will be holding a Jamboree at the Oxford County Fairgrounds to celebrate the 100th Anniversary of Scouting. From Oct. 19 thru Oct. 21 upwards of 2,500 scouts and scouters will be camping and an additional 2,000 day visitors are expected on Saturday to participate in a variety of scouting activities.

Many of the activities and much of the learning in the scouting program happens outdoors. Be it a major event like "Maine Jam 2007" or a local Boy Scout troop's overnight camping trip, you'll find many youth outdoors, learning and developing.

I'd invite anyone interested in scouting to join us at "Maine Jam 2007" to experience a scouting event and learn more about Scouting and Scout skills. You can't spell Scouting without "outing" and outings happen outdoors.

James M. Lesser

Volunteer, Pine Tree Council, BSA and Marketing Chair, Maine Jam 2007

Sidewalk

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process (or lack of planning) than he was by the idea of the sidewalk.

"It's not that it's a horrible idea," he said, "but it's more like 'Let's take the money and then figure out what we're going to do with it.'"

He also argued that no one had looked at what the long-term costs of having a sidewalk might be.

Noting that a committee was being formed (see below) to come up with a detailed plan for a possible sidewalk, he urged his fellow board members to at least put off committing the town "until there is a plan developed that is satisfactory to the residents of Mason Street, because they're the ones who will be affected."

Jack Cross said he agreed with Doyon.

But Don Bennett noted that authorizing the letter to MDOT did not commit the town unequivocally to signing an eventual construction contract for the sidewalk.

"I don't see it as carved in stone as far as taking the money," Bennett said. "If we get

to the point where we think the plan isn't going to work, we don't have to sign the contract."

Bob Everett agreed.

"Nothing says we have to do it," he said. "It's just that they're going to take the funding and set it aside for us. If we don't put this letter of commitment up, then the funding's not going to be there."

He also argued that the sidewalk proposal had been under discussion for some time, and Town Meeting voters had authorized the letter.

"This idea is nothing that just happened overnight," he said. "It was brought up at Town Meeting and the majority of people voted for it."

And, he said, a sidewalk on Mason Street would enhance the town as a whole.

"It just does. And just because you live on Mason Street and don't want the sidewalk doesn't mean it's not going to go. And just because you don't live on Mason Street and you want the sidewalk, doesn't mean it's going to go."

Ultimately, Bennett and Ev-

erett voted to authorize the letter, Cross and Doyon voted not to, and Chairman Stan Howe broke the tie by casting a deciding vote in favor of the letter.

Committee formed

Following that vote, the selectmen appointed members of the sidewalk study committee, which will be known as the "Mason Street Committee."

The seven members are Melissa Arnson, Barry Hallett Jr., Heidi Godomski, Barbara Russell, Woody Hughes, Rebecca Zicarelli and Virginia Lister.

Four of the members (Arnson, Zicarelli, Hallett and Lister) are residents of Mason Street.

One (Russell) is a member of Bethel Area Trails, a subcommittee of the Mahosuc Land Trust, which prepared the state grant application for the project.

The selectmen expect to have a formal charge for the ad hoc group at their next meeting, Monday, Oct. 15.

In our back yard:

Water for our fire departments

Maine has an abundance of surface water. For this reason, water has been the number one way to fight fire. As municipalities work to balance the many needs for the use of water resources, fire departments and resource managers have discovered ways to use water more efficiently for firefighting operations.

Fire hydrants in urban areas are an element of successful firefighting. They are color coded from red to blue so firefighters can quickly identify how many gallons of water per minute an individual hydrant can deliver. Regardless of what you see on television, no fire department hydrant is a "geyser want-to-be."

Valves control the water in lines below the ground, and much like your kitchen sink, unless they are turned open they will not flow. A cracked line might cause a leak, but not a dramatic spout of water into the sky.

Rural areas in Maine that lack conventional hydrants often rely on "dry hydrants." These are individual non-pressurized suction pipe systems that are permanently installed in ponds, lakes, or slow-moving areas of deeper streams. In addition to providing a supply of water to fight fires in rural areas, dry hydrants allow fire departments to use untreated water instead of municipal water to fight fires and are especially valued during times of forest and grassland high-fire danger. High-fire danger can occur anytime in Maine, though our most critical dry season is between snowmelt and the greening of spring.

Since dry hydrants are installed independently of the public water system, they are available all the time and are capable of supplying water if disasters strike. When vast amounts of electric lines are knocked down, as with hurricanes or prolonged ice storms, dry hydrants help to distribute non-potable water and support community services.

After decades of refinement, one firefighting technology that saves water is starting to catch on in Maine. Compressed Air Foam Systems, commonly called CAFS, utilize foaming agents to break down the surface tension of water, thus multiplying its affect to cool and smother fuels and burning agents. Properly proportioned and correctly applied CAFS reduces the amount of water used to fight a fire and reduces the amount of water damage to structures and their contents. In some Maine towns CAFS technology is helping to reduce citizen fire insurance premiums and staffing costs. When fires are put out more quickly and efficiently, firefighters are not only safer but are back on duty or home sooner.

Green technologies are also creating systems that collect gray water and runoff from parking lots and store the water, which can be recycled for on-site uses, including fire fighting. This is becoming a cost effective substitute for conventional hydrant rental for towns and fire departments. In high-risk areas cisterns and ponding areas are also helping to reduce these costs.

As Maine and our nation celebrate Fire Prevention Week, Oct. 7-13, take the time to visit your local fire department. Ask about CAFS technology and how water is provided for your town's fire fighting needs. You never know how important the water in your back yard might be to your neighborhood fire department, its firefighters, and the citizens they serve.

This column was submitted by Vicki Schmidt, a GIS environmental specialist with the Maine Department of Environmental Protection's (DEP) Bureau of Land and Water Quality. She is a Buckfield firefighter and a state fire instructor. She also serves on the Maine Fire Protection Services Commission as a representative for volunteer firefighters.

Our Back Pages

Compiled by Danna Brown Nickerson

10 years ago: Most of the 300 to 400 residents of West Paris were evacuated for several hours following the derailment of the propane-filled freight car just north of the village.

Bethel voters approved allowing the town to accept a \$200,000 Community Block Grant to help with the upgrade of the wastewater treatment plant.

Sixth graders from the Agnes Gray School went on a rafting trip down the Androscoggin in conjunction with their history and science projects.

Births: Brooke Nicole Whalen, Michael Ryan Bennett.

Deaths: Doris V. Roberts, Kenneth F. Wilson, Richard J. Decato.

20 years ago: Columbus Day weekend leaf peepers enjoyed sunny skies and colorful foliage on Saturday; Sunday saw temps in the 30s, and wet snow blanketed the area.

Robert J. Parker of Parker Appraisals began the field-work phase of Bethel's property tax revaluation.

The Fairway Condominiums were rapidly taking shape on the perimeter of the Bethel Inn golf course.

Deaths: Carl M. Mahoney, Mrs. Phyllis E. Tucker.

30 years ago: The Bethel Fire Department held an open house to familiarize families of the community with home safety equipment such as fire extinguishers and smoke detectors.

A camp owned by the Howard Dunn family, on the south shore of Howard Pond, was destroyed by fire.

A heavy frost was reported in South Woodstock.

An all-day workshop was held at Telstar Regional High School to continue work on the preliminary reports for self-evaluation and eventual accreditation.

40 years ago: Israelson Motors in Rumford was the low bidder on Bethel's police car at \$2,247 for a 1968 Chevrolet four-door with an automatic transmission and positive traction rear end.

Bethel Fire Chief Roderick McMillin visited local schools in observance of Fire Prevention Week.

Ledgeview Memorial Home, a modern nursing home with a capacity of 48, was being constructed on Route 26 in West Paris.

Births: Eric Michael Limatta, Rodney Allen Farrington.

Deaths: Mrs. Wilma Hendrickson, Mrs. Beatrice C. Horton, Jesse L. Ferrin, Keith L. Emery, Harry H. King, Jr.

50 years ago: Work on the new Sunday River bridge was progressing, and some of the concrete had been poured.

Births: Sonja Lourice Gile, Joan Elizabeth Hakala.

Death: Harriet M. Blake.

60 years ago: The West Parish Congregational Church celebrated the one-hundredth anniversary of its church building.

70 years ago: Willis Waite, Albert Root, William Kidder and John Trask, all of Dixfield, were drowned in Mill Brook when their car left the road in Albany near the Cal Cummings place. They were en route to Watford Fair.

Six buildings were destroyed and the library badly damaged in a \$25,000 fire in Watford.

The C.C.C. camp closed in Wild River.

Death: Mrs. Edna Abbott.

80 years ago: The contract for the steel superstructure of the bridge across the Androscoggin was let to the Boston Bridge Works for \$28,085.25.

The Bear River Grange Community Fair, held at Newry Corner, was a great success.

A heavy rain washed out roads in many sections. **Deaths:** Maud Thurston Glover, Joseph E. Roderique, Frank Billings.

100 years ago: Attendance at Gould Academy doubled. Liberty Holden gave the C. R. Wiley house to Gould Academy (now site of Holden Hall).

Land was given for a Civil War soldier's monument at the corner of Mechanic and Main streets.

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Briefly

School consolidation meetings

SAD44 REGION—SAD44 Supt. David Murphy and members of the School Board will travel to the five district towns to discuss the topic of school consolidation. Meetings will take place at 6:30 p.m. on the following dates: Tuesday, Oct. 16 at Woodstock School Multi-Purpose Room; Wednesday, Oct. 17 at Greenwood Town Office; Thursday, Oct. 18 at Newry Town Office; Tuesday, Oct. 23 at Andover School / Library; Wednesday, Oct. 24 at Crescent Park School Cafeteria.

Trail work, walk, ribbon cutting

BETHEL—On Sunday, Oct. 14 there will be a work, walk and ribbon-cutting program at and for the new extension of the Bethel Pathway. Town of Bethel Public Works will deposit piles of loam along the newly paved trail and the work session will be to spread the piles onto the path's shoulders. This session will run from noon to 3 p.m. Assemble at Bethel Outdoor Adventure—bring lunch and spade and rake. At 3 p.m. reassemble to walk the full path's length over the bridge and to the path's end at the North Road. During the walk a ribbon cutting ceremony will take place after crossing the bridge to officially open the new trail section. Participants can work and walk or just walk or just watch. Bring a lunch and make an afternoon of it. Everyone is invited to bring something for the grill once all the work is done. Questions? Call Jeff Parsons at 824-4224. Parsons said this is a wonderful opportunity for townspeople to work with the town to improve and beautify a new piece of the town. The town officially has the responsibility for maintenance, but volunteers have the energy and the tools. "Remember," he said. "The town that works together, stays together."

Hazardous Waste Collection

BETHEL—On Saturday, Oct. 13, residents of the Bethel/Greenwood/Woodstock area will be able to dispose of all of the poisons, pesticides and paints that they have been accumulating around their homes. The collection will be held at the school bus barn in Bethel, corner of Main Street and Cross Street, from 9 a.m. through noon. Participating towns include Bethel, Greenwood, Hanover, Newry, Woodstock, and most surrounding towns. Ferg Lea, an environmental engineer at AVCOG, noted, "This is a great time for residents to get rid of those hazardous materials under their sinks and in their basements and garages. These materials pose a risk to kids playing, create a significant fire hazard, and present a hazard to fire fighters should there be a fire. In addition, they cause air and water pollution if not properly handled, and they create a risk to solid waste workers if thrown in the regular trash." Wastes accepted include oil based paints, varnishes, lacquers, paint thinners, pesticides, old gasoline and contaminated waste oil, old pool chemicals, and almost anything that has the words "caution, warning, poison, corrosive, toxic, volatile, flammable or danger" on the label. Smoke detectors have been added to the list of accepted items. The collection will not accept latex paint, ammunition, or explosives. For more information, residents can contact AVCOG at 783-9186 or visit www.avcog.org under HHW 2007. Residents of the towns are asked to bring their hazardous wastes to the event in original containers, if possible. Leaking containers can be placed in plastic bags or cardboard boxes. For residents from towns not listed above as participating, the cost is \$27 per every 5 gallons of liquid waste or 20 pounds of dry waste (or a combination). This event is part of the ongoing Western Maine Environmental Depot Collection Program run by AVCOG in conjunction with the municipalities in the AVCOG region and a private, qualified contractor. For those not able to make this collection, AVCOG's Western Maine Environmental Depot is located in Lewiston and is open the first and third Saturdays of the month from April through November (excluding holiday weekends).

Town Office closed this week

GILEAD—Town Office services will not be available for the remainder of this week due to illness. Last night's (Wednesday) selectmen's meeting was cancelled for the same reason.

BFD heating oil raffles

BETHEL—The Bethel Fire Department is raffling off two hundred gallons of No. 2 heating oil in two separate one hundred gallon drawings. First drawing is Dec. 1. Red tickets are one for \$5 or five for \$20. Second drawing is Feb. 1, 2008. Blue tickets are one for \$5 or five for \$20. The following rules apply: winner must live within Brooks Bros. delivery area of Albany, Andover, Bethel, Gilead, Greenwood, Hanover, Newry, Rumford Point and Woodstock; must be delivered to a legally connected home heating oil tank only; tank must be able to hold a minimum of 100 gallons upon delivery, will not split delivery; No. 2 heating oil only, no kerosene or diesel fuel; no cash value in exchange of fuel; no service connected with delivery, starting of furnace, etc.; oil will be delivered during Brooks Bros. normal route schedule only. No special trips; winner will be notified via phone call as well as The Bethel Citizen; no Bethel firefighters or immediate family are eligible to win; drawing is in cooperation with Brooks Bros, Inc. They have final say on delivery or any questions concerning delivery. All inquiries must be made through Bethel Fire and not Brooks Bros, Inc. Tickets available at Lowell's Saw Shop on Route 26 in Bethel or contact any Bethel firefighter for details. Questions? Call 824-2665 and leave a message.

Mass. pair wins wife carry

NEWRY—A Massachusetts couple lunged across the finish line to win the North American Wife Carrying Championship by three-tenths of a second on Saturday. Keith Cardoza and Julia Stoner of Boston posted the second fastest preliminary time over the 278-yard obstacle course, then topped that effort in the final heat to edge Ri Fahnestock and Sarah Silverberg of Newmarket N.H. "After it was over I still wasn't sure we had won until we saw the scoreboard," said Cardoza. "I expected this to be a challenge, but that final heat took everything I had and more. We came up this weekend for a mountain bike race ... but I get the feeling that we'll remember it for this." For their win, Cardoza and Stoner got a trophy, three times Stoner's weight in beer and five times her weight (in cash), which came to \$675 for the 135-pound Stoner. They also qualified for the world championships in Finland next July. An all-time high of 40 couples from seven states took part in this year's North American event.

Several charges in boating deaths

PORTLAND—A grand jury has indicted a Massachusetts man on two counts of manslaughter stemming from a collision on a lake in which a boat was sliced in half by a large, high-powered speedboat. The Cumberland County grand jury handed up the indictment against Robert LaPointe Jr. of Medway, Mass., in the Aug. 11 crash on Long Lake in Harrison. Terry Raye Trott of Naples and Suzanne Groetzing of Berwick died in the wreck. The crash happened at 9 p.m. when LaPointe's 32-foot boat ran over the 14-foot motorboat boat operated by Trott. LaPointe is also charged with four counts of aggravated operating under the influence and one count of reckless conduct with a dangerous weapon. The two counts of manslaughter are each punishable by up to 20 years in prison. The four counts of aggravated OUI each carry a maximum six-month jail term and a \$2,100 fine.

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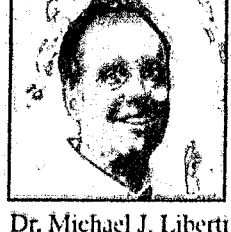
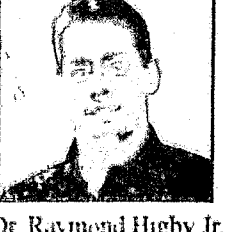
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Lights

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to get more emotional. Let's find a more inclusive way to do it."

The approach, he said, would provide for more input from the town and the public.

After the skiway was sold this summer and Boyne USA took over the management, said Collins, Boyne wanted to make a statement that it was willing to invest in Sunday River.

"This was one of the ideas," he said.

But the planning for the project and the installation of the experimental light were

slowed after a torrential rainstorm in July heavily damaged parts of the skiway property.

'If we move ahead it's going to get more emotional. Let's find a more inclusive way to do it.'

MARVIN COLLINS, Vice President for Operations

"We were strapped for resources," said Collins.

So the decision was made to put the application on hold.

The experimental light will

still go up this fall.

"We'll put it up and leave it, so people can see it in all conditions and seasons," Collins said.

After Collins' comments, planners discussed the experimental light proposal among themselves.

Because the actual lights would be downcast, some said it would be difficult for observers to see a single light.

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for the use of "mercury-colored" lights, Collins said.

The lights would use less electricity than older-style systems, he said.

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Med-Care

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soon to allow the selectmen to assess the opinion of townspeople.

"We couldn't get a handle of what the residents think," Peterson said.

For Andover, the 40-year plan calls for an increase in annual payments to Med-Care of \$6,460 (over the current \$10,692).

A special Town Meeting scheduled for tonight (Thursday) on other issues will conclude with an informational session with a Med-Care representative.

The Town Meeting starts at 6:30 at the Town Hall.

It is not clear what the implication would be for the project if Andover stands by its non-support.

Bobbi Arnold of USDA Rural Development said her agency requires that each town "be aware of and acknowledge" such projects.

"We want to make sure the communities are in support," she said.

But after the meeting she

said she would have to re-examine the guidelines to determine whether a single letter of non-support from a town could hold up the funding.

Steve Brown of Carthage, president of the Med-Care board, said that early in the process the USDA had simply told the board "We need letters of support."

Brown said the USDA never said that one town could effectively veto the project by not supporting it.

As for the Oct. 5 deadline for

letters, it was apparently not a drop-dead date, officials said.

Med-Care director Dean Milligan said they were advised to simply pick a date/deadline for receipt of the letters so that towns would not put off their responses.

He said Med-Care has received two letters so far.

Among other member towns in the Bethel area, Newry selectmen decided last week to support the proposal and Haverhill has indicated its informal support.

Loan

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"Thirty may be better," he said. "The options are all on the table."

A 30-year loan would increase the annual per-capita cost of Med-Care's subsidy from \$12 to \$19. A 40-year loan would increase it to \$18.

He said the board was able to reduce the project's cost from an initial \$2.4 million to \$2 million by changing the building design from masonry to steel.

And, he said, the service's current station, which was converted from a former Dairy Joy in 1990, would be sold and the funds could be put toward the debt.

Med-Care could also pursue grant funds later to put toward the loan, and annually consider using some revenue generated from its services to pay on the debt, he said.

"We have every intention to pay this down," Milligan said.

Some among the two dozen present at the hearing expressed concern that the project immediately precedes the 10-year renewal vote among member towns slated for 2008.

By August towns must vote on extending their membership in the interlocal agreement with Med-Care for another decade. The project would likely begin in May.

Steve Brown, president of the board, said if a town voted to break off its membership, it would still be bound to debt incurred while it was with the ambulance service.

But, he said, "there have been no indications any towns are not going to extend their agreement."

Brown said the board had discussed the pros and cons

of the order in which it would handle the two issues.

Members decided to visit the boards of selectmen with the project first, so they would be aware of it before the agreement vote.

Board has authority

Officials Tuesday also emphasized that through the interlocal agreement, the Med-Care board has authority to decide on projects.

Some Rumford officials last week suggested a Town Meeting might be needed to decide the question there.

But, said Milligan, "The authority is invested in the board. It would be tough to do eight or nine town meetings. It sets a precedent, and what's the limit?"

Brown agreed. "The towns voted for this when they voted for the interlocal agreement—

twice," he said.

John Madigan, Mexico's town manager, supported for the project. He said his town's payments to Med-Care would increase from the current \$35,000 to \$53,000 annually, but that was still a good deal.

Madigan said the larger payment would not even pay for part of a single ambulance.

And Med-Care, he said, "is one of the finest ambulance services in the state."

Several people at the hearing said it was clear Med-Care needs a larger facility.

Milligan said the number of calls to his service has increased over its 20-year history, largely because of an aging population.

The population of the region has declined slightly in that time, he said, from about 18,000 to just over 17,000.

Bethel

Mayville and Around Town

By Donald G. Bennett

On Sunday, Oct. 14, there will be a work, walk and ribbon-cutting program at and for the new extension of the Bethel Pathway. Town of Bethel Public Works will deposit piles of loam along the newly paved trail and the work session will be to spread the piles onto the path's shoulders. This session will run from Noon to 3 p.m. Assemble at Bethel Outdoor Adventure—bring lunch and spade. At 3 p.m., assemble at Davis Park to walk the full path's length over the bridge and to the path's end at the North Road. During the walk a ribbon-cutting ceremony will take place after crossing the bridge to officially open the new trail section. You can work and walk or just walk or just watch. Bring a lunch and make an afternoon of it. Questions? Call Jeff Parsons at 824-4224.

At the Oct. 1 selectmen's meeting, the board OK'd creating an ad hoc committee of five to come up with a skateboard park improvement plan. The town manager will pick the committee.

On Friday preparations were all set for a homecoming bonfire and cookout in the field across from the Casablanca building as part of the Telstar Homecoming '07 celebration and picnic. Saturday afternoon, the cone of dry branches was a small mound of ashes and the tent had been taken down but picnic tables remained. A Massachusetts couple took advantage of the tables and Saturday's fantastic weather to enjoy their lunch.

Mountain Explorer town to Sunday River shuttle bus ran a regular schedule over the holiday weekend. Anyone wishing to take the bus from town to pay a visit can board or get off at the River View Resort. Take the bus and leave the driving to us! Sunday River's wife carrying contest put the resort into regional TV news on Monday.

This Columbus Day weekend must be able to claim more traffic through Mayville than any other day this summer and fall. Thankfully, due to the weekend—no trucks!

The Friends of Davis Park is a newly formed 501(c)(3) nonprofit corporation, whose purpose is help raise funds for projects in or connected to Davis Park. It is the intent of the Friends of Davis Park to apply for grant money on behalf of groups that do not have the IRS nonprofit status, such as the skatepark and playground committees, as well as bringing together various local organizations in an effort to submit joint grant proposals. Currently, the Friends of Davis Park organization is working on a collaborative effort with MLT Trails Committee, Maine Handicapped Skiing, the Androscoggin River Watershed Council, the Town of Bethel's Playground Committee and its Skatepark Committee.

Snowmobilers' "highway" through Mayville for 2007 and 2008 will follow the same route as last year. Cross river at bridge, continue up the river on the new trail behind BIG, drive along the river's edge section of the Mason property and cross North Road to the trail route toward the Locke Mountain area.

Ronald and Joan (Abbott) Willard of Springfield, Va., were in Bethel recently for Ronald's 50th reunion at Gould Academy (9/30 and 10/1). They were able to visit most of their families in Maine along with some friends. Joan taught at Ethel Bisbee School in the early 1960s. They have two sons and three grandsons all in Northern Virginia. Joan is a retired Contract Specialist with DIA and was called back to work after 9-11.

Thursday, I made my yearly trip to see the chamber of commerce staff at Rangeley. This year the Rangeley chamber of commerce is housed in a whole new building that was built by a combined community effort—money, labor and material donations. Along with it, Rangeley's Main Street visitors and walkers will soon have a public restroom that is now being built.

More and less: driving to Rangeley I passed through three gas price zones, Bethel was \$2.84, Rumford was \$2.75 and Rangeley was \$3.01. Over the weekend though the Mayville Road gas station trio lowered prices to \$2.79.

Highway work in the West Bethel and Gilead area has cleared more terrain south of Route 2, which opens new highway vistas. Rail fans will now be able to find some previously hidden views of the



The Way I See It

by Sharon Bouchard

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In most American homes today there's a fair number of gadgets and appliances and that is true in my home as well.

I would certainly be lost without some of them, that's for sure. I can't imagine life without my washer and dryer. The thought of weekly trips to a laundromat makes me cringe. I did it for a number of years in my younger days so I know firsthand how time consuming and inconvenient it is. No way would I ever want to go back to that!

And my electric mixer is a wonderful little marvel that I wouldn't want to be without. When I was a child all we had was an eggbeater and everyone in the family took turns when it came to making whipped cream. The result was usually a runny cream concoction rather than a stiff consistency.

I remember my mother's elation when she received her first electric mixer as a gift. We had desserts with a stiff glob of whipped cream every day for a week.

I like my electric can opener. It certainly is a nice thing to have; however, if it ceased to work I do have a variety of hand can openers and I know I would get by just fine until I replaced the electric one.

My microwave is truly a nice appliance though I use it primarily for heating leftovers and popping popcorn. I wouldn't care to be without it.

I have a lot of other items that I may not use very often, but it's nice to have them on hand when I need them.

As nice as all of these things are I do not have a strong emotional attachment to any of them. I have a strong need for them, but I'm not in love with them. I don't have a personal relationship with any of them.

I never once thought of coming up with a nickname for my coffee pot...

According to a recent study, that is not the case with people who own a Roomba. Roomba is the robotic vacuum made by iRobot Corp. It is a robotic disc that scoots around the floor sucking up dirt and dust. It knows not to bump into walls and furniture and can go under sofas, chairs and beds. A handy gadget to be sure.

Well, according to this study, which was recently in the newspaper, the owners of this handy gadget actually bond with it. In many cases they give it a name and in a few instances the owners have been known to dress the robotic piece of machinery. I'm not kidding, it was right in the paper.

Maybe I'm missing something here because I don't have that kind of relationship with my appliances. I never once thought of coming up with a nickname for my coffee pot even though it is the first thing I interact with in the morning. I do on occasion call my computer some choice names, but one would

never consider those particular names terms of endearment.

There are currently over 2 million Roomba owners and there is even an Internet forum where Roomba owners can chat about their little pets.

One of the people conducting the study, who is an "emotional design" expert, discovered through monitoring the Roomba forum that not only do people name their little vacuums, in some cases they ravel with it and even one owner who introduced the machine to his parents.

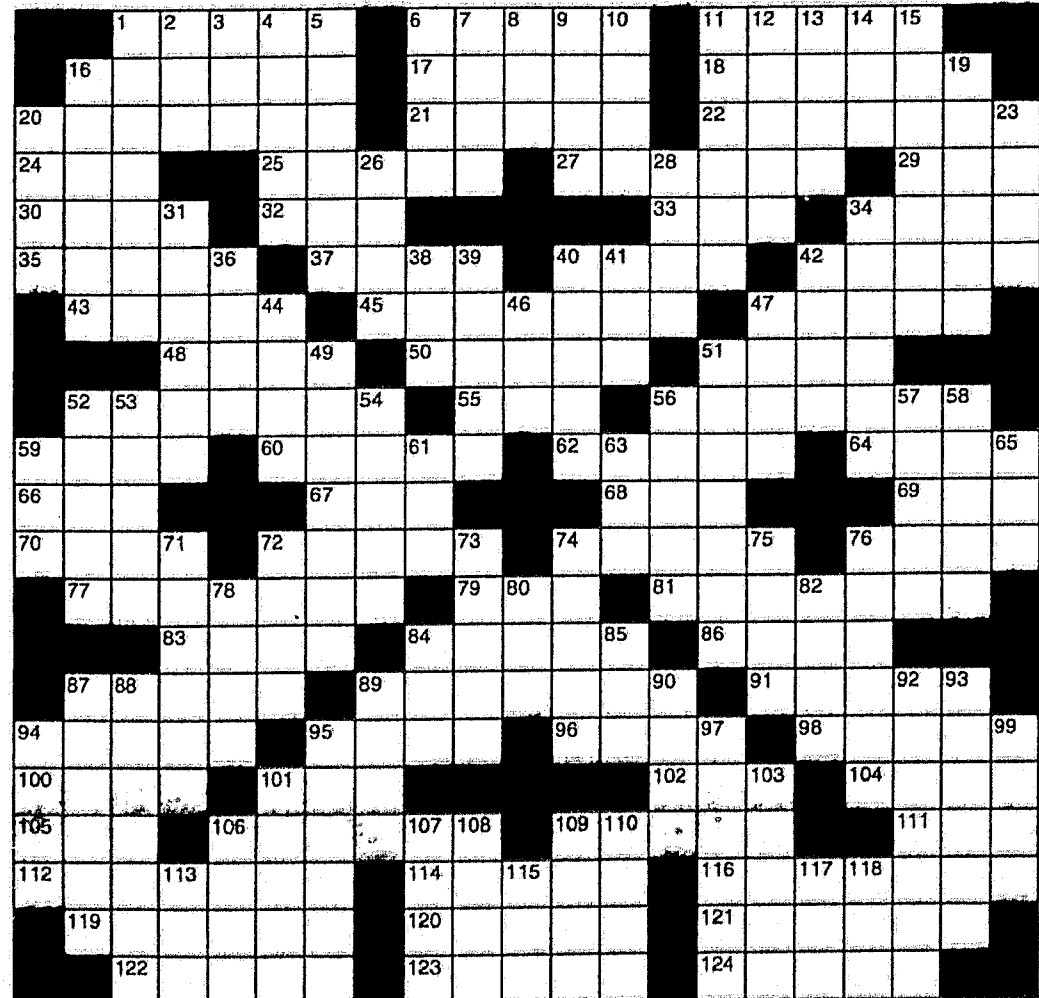
I guess I shouldn't talk; when my kids were teenagers I tried introducing them to the washer and dryer, but sadly, they were never that well met.

The part of the article that really struck me was not the naming, not the traveling or even the little Roomba clothing. It was the mention of some Roomba owners pre-cleaning their houses before they put the bugger down on the floor. What is the point of that???

I have to admit that I don't own a Roomba so I really don't know what the excitement is all about. Maybe if I had one I'd feel differently.

I do know that I would not clean my floor so my vacuum didn't have to work too hard. I know I wouldn't dress any of my appliances, but what the heck, the way I see it, let each their own. I'll just go on about my business and load up my dishwasher. His name, by the way, is Mr. Clean.

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railroad line as it parallels the river heading west. About one mile of right of way has been cleared of trees and brush. Residents of West Bethel's Fleming Road drive over a temporary connection to get back and forth to Route 2. Pleasant River has been ripped between the Route 2 bridge and Dave Burnham's house. When this section is finished it will give an entirely new view to drivers coming into West Bethel from Gilead.

Are we warming or cooling? Daily mean temperatures from May 1 to Sept. 30 have made this year the coolest summer of the last five years. Average daily temperature for the five months of 2007 was 63.86, 2006 was 65.37, 2005 was 65.26, 2004 was 64.73 and 2003 was 66.05. However, this September was one-quarter of a degree warmer than September 2006.

If you have news about Bethel area events, family happenings, humor in Bethel, business, opening or closings and special visitors in general please call me at 824-2094 or e-mail to Donald@thebetheljournals.info or donaldbe@roadrunner.com.

Upton



by Eleanor LeComte

The foliage is at peak color in spite of the fact that we haven't had a frost yet. The days are wonderful and warm with a bonus of cool nights for sleeping. The ride from Newry Corner to Colebrook is ablaze with colorful leaves. The Leaf Peepers have descended on the area. Could you blame them, it's so lovely.

Donna Demer has been shingling our little library. It looks great. Donna inherited the Lavallee work ethic and is doing a super job. There is quite a bit of new construction in town. The Knightly building should be a showplace with many views up Lake Umbagog.

Our best wishes to Steve Swasey, who has been under the weather lately.

The Ladies Aid enjoyed a "Covered Dish Supper" for members recently. Simone Lavallee was honored for her hard work and devotion to the Ladies Aid. It was also Sim-

one's 85th birthday. She is still going strong and never seems to slow down. A business meeting was held after the dinner. All plans are full speed ahead for the Christmas party. It seems to come around faster each year. The warm, wonderful weather makes snow and Christmas a strange expectation.

Everyone in town has been watching the Red Sox games. We have a few Yankee fans. It's been a great baseball year with lots of interest in the game.

Nancy and Jim Silverberg have been visiting at Birch Point for over a week and plan to stay longer with the pleasing weather tempting them, and then they will head back to Florida.

The Bethel Red Hatters and the Errol "Naughty but Nice" ladies will meet Oct. 12 for lunch at the Bull Moose.

We were awakened abruptly Saturday morning to the sound of shotgun blasts. Duck hunting season is open. From what I heard, they only scared the ducks but didn't bag any. We haven't seen as many ducks in the past few years. Feeding them is a "no-no" since they were polluting the lake. A huge flock of mergansers inhabit Rapid River. No one bothers them because they are not a very tasty bird. In fact they taste like the fish they eat.

A blue heron has been posing in the marsh. The lake is quite low so the birds have prime fishing on the edges.

Birds have arrived in great quantities. There must be a lot of flight birds in the flocks. This week we observed a tufted titmouse, white-crowned sparrows, blue jays galore, juncos, finches, doves, woodpeckers and many others. The Canada jay has returned. It's like greeting an old friend, it is so tame. So far not too many partridges have been sighted. A young coyote has been patrolling Mill Road. I think he is dining on partridge. The yellow feral cat has disappeared. I think "Wiley Coyote" also dined on that poor guy.

The "Bird of the Week" is again my favorite bird, the Canada Jay.

A super "Meat Loaf" dinner was held at the Stratton's Camp on Sunday. Although "comfort" food was served, we

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From the Bethel Police Log:

Monday, Oct. 8

At 12:03 a.m. Officer Bill Britting responded to Main Street to assist Bethel Rescue with a medical call.

Sunday, Oct. 7

At 12:40 a.m. Officer T.J. Reese stopped a vehicle driven by a subject with a learner's permit on the Walkers Mills Road. Matthew G. Rossiter, 18, of Massachusetts was summonsed for illegal possession of liquor by a minor by consumption and for licensee being impaired while accompanying a learner. Also summonsed was Stephen W. Swofford, 18, of Illinois and another juvenile for illegal possession of liquor by consumption.

At 6 a.m. Officer T.J. Reese responded to the area of Mill Hill and Songo Pond Road for an accident. A vehicle was off the road, and the driver had sustained injuries to her side. She was taken to the hospital by Rescue.

Saturday, Oct. 6

At 12:40 a.m. on the Songo Pond Road Lt. S.R. White summonsed Mark W. Hindman, 39, of Bethel for OUI and possession of a usable amount of marijuana.

At 4:30 a.m. Officer T.J. Reese responded to Route 232 to assist state police with a domestic issue.

At 8:18 a.m. Officer T.J. Reese took a report of a car-moose accident that had occurred on Sept. 22 on the Songo Pond Road. The complainant said that at the time he did not believe there was much damage, but on taking his car for a repair estimate he learned the damage was \$2,600. He was told an accident report could not be completed because it could not be verified the accident had taken place in that location.

Friday, Oct. 5

At 5:15 p.m. ACO Phil Taylor responded to a complaint that a dog was not being properly cared for. The complaint proved to be unfounded.

At 8:26 p.m. Officer Jeff Campbell stopped a vehicle on Main Street for a plate light out. A passenger in the vehicle had a warrant from Androscoggin County. Mark A. Bean, 45, (hometown not available) was arrested.

Thursday, Oct. 4

At 12:28 a.m. Officer T.J. Reese responded to Cross Street for a 911 hangup call.

At 4:25 p.m. Officer Jeff Campbell responded to the Songo Pond Road for a report of erratic operation. He located and stopped the vehicle. Raymond Harrington, 64, of Greenwood was summonsed for OUI.

At 6:25 p.m. Officer Jeff Campbell stopped a car on the West Bethel Road for speeding. Jeromy A. Barlow, 20, of Hanover was given a summons for possession of a scheduled drug.

This report highlights points of interest from the Bethel Police Department log. It lists cases reported in the log of adults being arrested or issued a summons in the 10 days prior to the newspaper's publication, but does not include all reports of police activity, such as routine speeding tickets and other civil violations. To reach the Bethel Police Department, call 911 in emergency situations, 824-3437 in non-emergencies.



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were all very uncomfortable after eating that wonderful meal.

Good luck to Bill Rupy who will undergo surgery. Bill is Barbara Stratton's son. He and his lovely wife, LeAnn, visit Birch Point whenever they can.

West Bethel



by Lorrie Hoeh

Driving to and from Fryeburg on the last day of the fair, I was dazzled by the fall color which is nearing its peak. There is still a lot of green, but even the hillsides have come to full blush. Once again, we have a real treat for the leaf peepers.

Last Tuesday we had a crowd of turkeys in the yard — what looked like a hen and around 12 young'uns. The tufted titmice have returned. As soon as Mike put out the feeders (after the summer hiatus), the chickadees and nuthatches started flocking in. The hummingbirds have long since departed for points south, but they will soon be replaced by pine siskins, redpolls, and such.

Mike spotted a thrush sitting on the arm of a chair on the patio Monday morning. It was probably contemplating a southern trip. We have glimpsed the yellow-bellied sapsucker several times this past week, and I'm sure the other woodpeckers will put in their appearances before long.

After a lengthy dry spell, we finally had a bit of rain over the weekend, welcome news

for those with dug wells. We had about a half inch overall as of Monday morning.

Last Tuesday, Oct. 2, was an exciting one at Sunday River Alpacas. To begin with, the first grade from Crescent Park and Woodstock schools visited in the morning. They were divided into three groups and migrated in succession from the barns to the shop to the fish pond.

Maureen was at the barn, along with Jen from Puckerbrush Alpacas. They showed the alpacas and interpreted the ins and outs of raising them. The children also met the chickens and the two Great Pyrenees guard dogs. I was in the shop, spinning alpaca fiber and demonstrating just how it gets turned into yarn and useful articles of clothing. Mike manned the fish pond, supervising the feeding of the fish and showing the students how they are caught.

Then later in the day, I had a phone call from Maureen, telling me that Maggie, one of the Puckerbrush pacas which are boarding with her, had given birth to her first cria, a female named Puckerbrush's Juniper. Mother and daughter are doing fine.

The Fryeburg Fair was busy all week long, with Saturday, as usual, topping all other days for attendance and traffic jams. I haven't seen the final figures yet, so I don't know if any records were broken, but from our perspective in the Farm Museum, it seemed as if there were more visitors than ever. I expect that the Grange members were there on Monday, taking down their beautiful exhibits and putting away the ribbons for another year.

Our daughter, Kate Griffin, and her son, Robbie, were vis-

itors over the weekend. Her husband remained at home working on a home improvement project, and son Owen, 16, is living in Milan, Italy, this year as a Rotary exchange student. But we enjoyed time with Kate and Rob and their wee dog, Max. When Kate was on her way home, she called from the other end of the Forest road to tell me they had just seen two bobcats in the middle of the road. That tops the young bull moose that Jake and I met one morning last week.

That's all for now. Be well and keep in touch: dhoeh@megalink.net; 836-3011.

Gilead



by Lin Chapman

Since this past weekend was celebrating Columbus Day, SAD44

students had the day off from school, and to make it a really long weekend for the students, there was a workshop on Friday. The weather does not really seem like October, but the nights are getting cooler.

Hugh and I visited with our grandchildren, William, Annie and Sidney, this past weekend. William had a long weekend from school, also.

My brother, Steve McLain, was busy this past weekend getting that woodpile under control. His son, Brad McLain, stopped by to run the wood splitter and loaded some of the wood to take home.

On Wednesday, Oct. 3, Hugh and I attended a program presented by the Greenwood Historical Society. Frank Perham was the guest speaker. He spoke about his mining experiences over the years. We enjoyed listening to his accounts of mining feldspar and blasting rock to find minerals such as smokey quartz. Now last week, I mentioned that I had

the privilege to meet Jane Perham at Perham's in West Paris, but little did I know that a couple of weeks later I would meet her brother, Frank. I still prefer "mining" at Perham's instead of the way Frank does it.

Speaking of gems and minerals, Hugh and I attended the regular monthly meeting of the Oxford County Mineral and Gem Association on Oct. 5 at Norm and Eleanor Davis' in Newry. After the business meeting, there was a mineral auction held. Proceeds go to a charitable organization to benefit children at Christmas. There was a little over \$200 raised.

Planning Board

The Planning Board met on Thursday, Oct. 4, at the Town Hall for their regular meeting. They answered questions from residents regarding whether or not what they plan on doing would be considered a change of use or not. The Comprehensive Plan was discussed and plans were made to set a date for a Public Hearing concerning ordinances and a meeting for the CPC to start work on the Comprehensive Plan.

Public Hearing

A Public Hearing to review proposed changes to the Planning Board, Lot size and Setback and Subdivision Ordinances will be held on Wednesday, Oct. 24, at 7 p.m. in the Town Hall. Copies of the pages containing the proposed changes are available at the Town Office.

Comprehensive Planning Committee

The Comprehensive Planning Committee (CPC) will hold its initial meeting on Oct. 15 at the Town Hall starting at 7 p.m. and is open to the public. The Comprehensive Plan (CP) update approach, schedule and the committee and AVCOG responsibilities will be discussed.

Gilead Historical Society The GHS would like to welcome a new member, Peter Collette, from South Paris. His

family used to own Kimball's Store in Gilead many years ago.

A bit of history from The Smile of Providence, A History of Gilead, Maine — "J. W. Kimball general store 1856-1886 and then became E.E. Kimball 1887-1924. It was located on the westerly side of Route 2 opposite the road to the bridge across the Androscoggin. It operated from the first floor of the large Kimball House."

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East Bethel



by Nancy Mercer

Alder River Grange will hold a regular meeting on Oct. 12 with a 6:30 p.m. potluck supper and the meeting at 7:30 at the Hall.

The Grange will have a Harvest Supper on Oct. 20 at 5 p.m. Adults are \$7 and under 13 are \$3. Our last supper is a turkey supper on Nov. 10. Veterans will have a free supper.

Florence Hastings is doing well, recovering from a nasty cold.

The leaves are really turning color now. If you have any news, call 824-3350.

God Bless the Troops.

Andover



by Melinda Averill

Andover voters — don't forget the special Town Meeting scheduled

for tonight, Thursday, Oct. 11, starting at 6:30 p.m. at the Town Hall. If you want to have any say in the town affairs, then attend!

A few people from town attended the Homecoming Bon-

fire on Friday evening at Bethel. Earlier in the afternoon, the Telstar field hockey team played Mountain Valley, followed by a parade down Main Street, Bethel.

Dinah Cutting had her great-granddaughter, Jayde, for an overnight visit last weekend. Jayde started kindergarten this fall at Crescent Park School.

Brian and Sue Mills, Izaak and Kate, traveled to Burlington, Vt., on Friday for Parents Weekend at the University of Vermont, where their daughter, Abby, is attending.

Happy birthday this week to Timmy Smith Jr. on Monday, Oct. 15.

The Andover Elementary School welcomed six new students this year. Elijah Bowley, third grade, and the following kindergartners: Matthew Albano, Issac Bachellor, Perry Morton, Ethan Meisner, Nelson and Madison Smith.

Those attending a family get-together at the home of Barbara and Orville Meisner were as follows: Diane Dymont, Glenburn; Nancy and Matt Brooks, Phippsburg; Joy Hall, Ashburnham, Mass.; Kevin Hall, New York; Jean and Carl Glover and David and Leslie Glover from Waldoboro; Linda and Wayne Paul, Belfast; Dan and Penny Glover, Rumford; Bill and Nancy Crooker, Livermore Falls; Gary Meisner, East Andover; Christine Ladd, East Andover; and Philena Chaisson, Andover. Have a nice weekend.

Newry



by Sylvia Harrington

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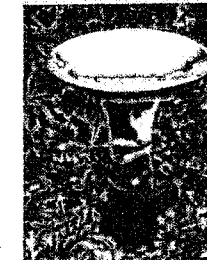
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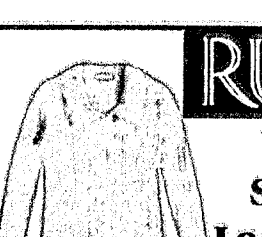
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On Saturday, a 6 p.m. potluck supper will be held, followed by a talk from Janice Mitchell. The location of this weekend event is at the Mahoosuc Guide Service on Route 26 in the Grafton Notch, North Newry area. Call ahead for information on the kinds of treatments offered and the charges for each.

Hanover

by Clem Worcester



Eugene and Elizabeth Fortin from Lathrop, Calif., recently spent a week visiting his parents, Bob and Elsie Fortin, and his sister, Darlene.

The Rumford Grange is having a Harvest Dinner on Sunday, Oct. 14, at the Grange Hall in Rumford Center. The meal will consist of corned beef and ham and will begin at noon and end at 1:30. The meal will cost \$7 for adults and \$3.50 for younger people.

Natalie Nardone has had fun summers at Howard Pond and Hanover with her family. The daughter of Angelo and Claudia (Couture) Nardone, she spent part of the past summer at Triple J at the Pond. It was more than just a vacation as the peace and tranquility of Howard Pond provided the impetus for her to secure two very exciting programs. The first was to film an episode on a new Disney show "The Wizards of Waverly Place." She will appear in the last episode and there is talk of a spin-off from that episode.

The next thing Natalie booked was a line show for the Armed Forces Entertainment Group. She and another

girl will be the emcees whose names are "M" and "C." She is leaving Oct. 10 for twelve appearances in Europe between Oct. 12 and Oct. 27.

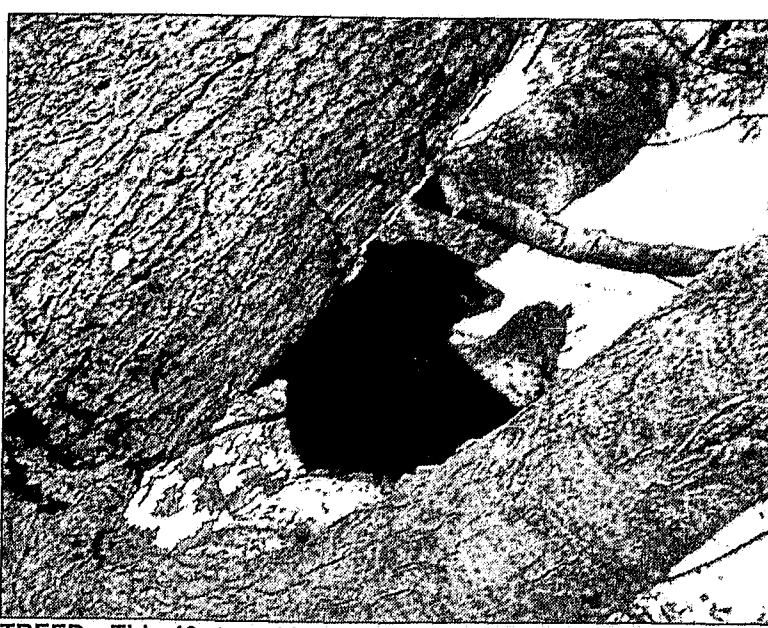
The Black Mountain Bike Tour was last Saturday. A rest stop for the 100-mile trip was at the Hanover Town Office where Selectperson Brenda Gross met them with drinks, fruit and snacks.

Next Saturday, Oct. 13, the River Valley Chamber of Commerce Fall Foliage River Run will start at the Hanover Boat Launch at about 11:30 a.m. and end at the Rumford Boat Launch in Rumford.

The Hanover Planning Board met Wednesday, Oct. 3. Following site walks at two South Shore Road properties the Board completed their business at the Hanover Town Office. The Board approved a stairway project on a steep bank between South Shore Road and Howard Pond. The project also required Department of Environmental Protection approval that had previously been allowed.

The bear went up the tree! It was the big pine tree next to Howard Pond Road near the Hanover Town House and the bear was just a 40-pound cub. The little bear clung to the tree's upper branches for three days, bringing out a lot of folks with cameras. It was theorized that the cub had been orphaned when hunters on Mount Dimmock harvested two bears earlier in the week. Last Sunday, under the direction of Game Warden Norm Lewis, the bear was tranquilized and professionally removed from the tree. It was reported that the bear was taken to a rehabilitation center in Bridgton and hopefully will be able to eventually return to the woods after learning to fend for himself.

Weekend visitors of Donna and Clem Worcester were Wally and Linda Brewer, Bob and Anna Morton, Karen Nelson all of Boothbay, and Donna Gregory of Newcastle. They were in the area to attend the Knights of Pythias Grand Chancellor's picnic put on by Grand Chancellor Freeman Farrington at the Andover Town Hall on Sunday. Pythians came to the event from as far away as Milbridge, and Plaistow, N.H. Part of the



TREED—This 40-pound bear cub spent three days in a pine tree near the Hanover Town House last week. For details, see Hanover column this page. (Photo: C. Worcester)

day's event was a fundraiser for Camp Capella, a summer camp for disabled persons. Camp Capella is a division of United Cerebral Palsy and is located in Dedham. Nearly \$500 was raised.

Greenwood City

by Wayne Hakala



Anita and I had the pleasure of sitting with Irving and Hazel Cole at Dean and Patricia Benson's wedding and reception on Saturday afternoon. We had a wonderful time.

Irving told us of watching a big moose while sitting on the porch and thinking of Steve Cole upcountry wallowing around trying very hard to find one.

The last word I had from our town manager is that there will be a public hearing on the school consolidation. Dr. Murphy will be present to explain the ins and outs of it all. The hearing will be on Wednesday evening, the 17th of October. Not sure of the time or place yet. I really believe all voters need to be involved in this tax-raising venture. And they will rise. So get out and get the facts. Enough said now as my blood pressure is going up.

Also, this Saturday, the 13th, there will be a Household Hazardous Waste Day. The collec-

tion point will again be at the SAD44 bus garage in Bethel. There is info at all the town offices. This is an excellent day to clean out under the sink and garage shelves of all the more dangerous items that are just sitting there. They old drain cleaners, spray cleaners and the likes. So get with it and make sure the crews have enough to do.

On the 20th of October the Greenwood Firemen's Association is putting on a spaghetti supper with all the fixings. It will be at the Legion Post in Lockes on the Gore Road. The Captain tells Anita that they have a number of activities to participate in. The supper will be at 5 p.m. till 7. Anita and I will be helping out the cause. I know that we will be having a good time and eating well. Keep smiling!

West Paris

by Joyce Lamb



Flu Shot time again! Have you had yours? All went well at the Frye-

burg Fair. On Tuesday morning I picked up Phillip Whittemore in Norway and went over the winding road through East Stoneham to the Fairgrounds. Jeanne Whittemore and Elaine Blossom were waiting for us. We watched the horses parade in their various hitch-

es of two, three, four, and six. What a beautiful sight for they were at their best and trotted perfectly. After lunch they attended the horse races and I explored the exhibits and concessions. I even found Jim and Chris Lamb with their Parts and Pieces booth way down back of the racetrack. At mid-afternoon I did look up the milking parlor and got a large chocolate ice cream from their sales booth.

Patty Page was the big feature for the evening show and sang well before a large crowd on Tuesday night. She may be around eighty but kept all interested and entertained, a large crowd and a good program.

The four of us slept in Whittemore's large RV and even utilized the table bed! All were comfortable. After blueberry pancakes we did more of the same on Wednesday. I walked around by myself for hours and enjoyed the sights. A mama goat had produced twin goats two days before and were a great attraction. They have only two "milk bottles" to feed their young.

The crowds did not seem as large as usual for one could get around with little trouble to see all. The only lines were at the ice cream parlor, which I visited again on Wednesday. At about four Phil and I headed home and agreed the fair a success. What a perfect week the fair had.

On Sunday, Oct. 14 at 9 a.m. the Rev. Richard Beal, minister at the West Paris Universalist Church, will have as his sermon topic, "Autumn People," this being the "guesstimated" best weekend for leaves. We will celebrate them. Jim Burke will play the new organ. A coffee social hour follows.

Several from the area attended the funeral of Connie Bacon at the Catholic Church in Norway on Saturday. Condolences go out to Vance who lovingly cared for her through her long illness.

Florence McLaughlin and I attended the 8th Birthday Party for our great-grandson, Joshua Hyssong, at his home in South Portland. Also attending were grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Hyssong and Jude Lamb and Aunt Peg Lamb, Kelly and Cameron

Hartley with Nicolas, Sophia and Weston, Gene and Kyra Flarety with Molly and the birthday boy's parents, Nina and Rob Hyssong. A pizza luncheon was enjoyed. A birthday cake made by his mother, Nina, was served with ice cream. His many gifts were opened and admired.

A week ago I visited Dorothy Christie in Gray. I had been to Scarborough to pick up a china cupboard for my ruby glass. It was a confusing day, for the company first told me it was not ready but called an hour later that they had found it in the back storage room so I could go down and get it. After removing the five heavy seats from the van and adding the packing blankets, I drove down. As they were about to load it into the van I discovered there was no glass in the door. After much discussion and calling their boss they found the glass wouldn't be ready until Tuesday. They had me take the cabinet home and they would deliver the glass when it had been cut.

The weather was sunny and warm making the driving pleasant, but I was disappointed not having it finished. The china cabinet is now home in its proper place filled with my dishes waiting to be enclosed.

Muffin has not discovered that she could get in and sit among the breakables. Hopefully she isn't that smart.

Bryant Pond

by Alice Hoyt



Franklin Grange 124 met at the Grange Hall on Monday, Oct. 1, with 10 members present. Discussed were ways to make money, decided on a Hee Haw Show to be held on Nov. 17 and a Thanksgiving basket. Sick members were reported on. The 20 resolutions from State Grange, which will be voted on at State Grange in October, were discussed. Program: opening thought by Bertha DeHaas, "To have a friend you have to be one," opening song, "By the Silvery Moon," poem read by Peggy Blake written by Bertha DeHaas called "Au-

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turn," a certificate of appreciation was presented to Alice Hoyt for CWA, poem read by Olive Risko written by Bertha called "The Smell of Wood Smoke," closing song, and closing thought. The Grange will put on the Republican supper on Oct. 9.

Services at the Baptist Church are Sunday School at 9:15 a.m., morning worship at 10:30 a.m., choir practice at 5 p.m., evening service at 6 p.m. Wednesday evening at 6:30 is prayer meeting. The Quarterly Business Meeting is Oct. 16 at 6:30 p.m., and Special Service on Oct. 20 and 21. David Benoit from Glory Ministries will be speaker. There will be a supper at 5 p.m. on Saturday and service at 6 p.m. The pastor has returned from his trip to Ghana, and he showed pictures and told about it after the dinner on Sunday.

Judith Grover Tent 17 Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War will give a reception to honor Department of Maine President Helvi Cary on Sunday, Oct. 14, from 2 to 4 p.m. All are welcome.

The Woodstock Extension will meet on Wednesday, Oct. 17, at the Town Annex. The program will be "Birds, Bees and Butterflies." Also held will be a tasting party.

The Woodstock-Greenwood Senior Citizens group held their October foliage trip on Thursday, Oct. 4. They traveled to New Hampshire Town and Country and had a very nice dinner served. This is the Senior Citizens 40th year. Evelyn Bean is the only charter member still living. She was presented a pot of mums. Next meeting in November will be at the Grange Hall and the WHS Alumni will put on the dinner. Wendy Newmeyer from Balsam Fir will present the program. The wood tickets will be drawn the middle of October.

Historical Society
The Historical Society looks forward to the beginning of its 29th year in November. Are you a member? If not, why don't you join.

The society is getting organized for the new year. New President Elaine Roberts will appoint the committees and they will start planning programs.

Curator Larry Billings has given a new notebook for recording future exhibits.

The Museum has some doctors' instruments in its collection that belonged to Dr. Willard. Also, it has many photographs and glass negatives

done locally by Walter Arkett. There are copies of the local newspaper, The Standard Storyteller, including the first issue of the earlier Standard. They are very fortunate. They have farm equipment upstairs among other things. A plow and a machine for putting tops on apple barrels, along with dishes, quilts, uniforms, furniture and musical instruments. The little museum store has items you might like to see for Christmas or birthdays. Attend a meeting and see for yourself.

Meetings are held the second Saturday of each month at 7 p.m. at the museum for the time being.

Larry put some decorations with jack-o'-lanterns on them for October and some artificial colored leaves in the museum.

Recently the curator attended the Bryant Pond Baptist Church, where his family attends. The Rev. Hodgkins gave a good sermon on "Heaven" and reported he had an eventful missionary trip to Africa.

Mary Billings had some cosmos bloom that she raised from seed.

Albany



by Sheila Dyke

Greetings and hello from Albany Township. Yup, yup, yup! Fall

is definitely here! The cooler weather (despite record heat further south) has made for comfortable days outside, but, the need for some heat when indoors. I haven't heard any projections regarding the cost of heating fuel, but, if it keeps with the trend of the past couple of years, I'm sure we're not going to like it. Have you noticed all of the "use oil fuel" commercials on TV lately?

Dyana was home from college this weekend. It was wonderful having her home. Not only did Dad and Mom miss her, but the boys, too. And, I think she missed us as much. She's doing well in her classes, and we'll see her again for Thanksgiving break. We took her back on Tuesday. Thanks to Ed and Mary Jo for the use of their vehicle. It helped a lot!

Pam Rugg has been busy making apple jelly and other goodies and had too much juice. So, she brought over almost two gallons of crabapple

and apple juice, as Dana and Davey have been making jellies, jams, canning foods, etc. The jelly came out wonderful. Thanks, Pam!

Our apples are about ready to pick and then the guys are going to can them for use in recipes. They had already picked apples from our apple tree in the back and made some great applesauce. Our garden did very well for us this year, and that has been keeping the guys busy, too. We have been going through our supply of jars, that is for sure!

You've probably seen Pam walking along Hunt's Corner Road after services on Sunday or out and about in her neighborhood, Grizzly in tow. Just give her a wave when you see her.

Oh! Before I forget! You really should stop by the Barton's produce stand up the road a bit. They still have some great (really great) tomatoes, and pumpkins and other produce.

Best wishes for a happy and safe week. God Bless and Keep!

Waterford



by Rockie Graham

Is it fall or is it summer? Guess it depends on what day it is. After a

stretch of very summer-like days, it appears we are finally experiencing fall weather. We all got a little rain. If you look at the lakes and ponds, the water levels are definitely low. Bear Pond seems to get lower every day.

This Thursday, the 11th, it seems there is a lot happening. In Waterford at the historical society, Bill Haynes will be speaking about lumbering and small woodlands owners. That is at 7:30 p.m. Refreshments will be served.

Also on Thursday the Waterford/Stoneham/Albany Lions Club will meet at 6:30 p.m. at the Stoneham Rescue Barn. Dinner is potluck so bring a dish to share.

Next Thursday, Oct. 18, Wilkins Community House will hold its first community supper of the season. It is a potluck at 6 p.m. and Joanne Fillebrown and Alice Jewel will be hosting. Bring a dish to share and rolls and beverages will be provided. It is on Plummer Hill Road in Waterford.

Hope everyone had a great time at the fair. The weather

was perfect for it and I hear the crowds were large. We stayed home and worked at the house. Saturday and Sunday the Hart boys, David Jr. and Dan, put in a new septic system and leach field. That means we won't have to have the septic drained mid-winter this year. That is definitely a bonus!

Thursday, the 11th in Bethel, Suzanne Dunham will teach a class on Living and Cooking Gluten Free. It is 6 to 8 p.m. at Telstar High School Room 106. Cost is \$15. FMI: 665-2927.

This weekend is the Fall Foliage Run down the Androscoggin. Starting at 10 a.m. it runs from Hanover Boat Ramp to the Rumford Boat Ramp near McDonald's. It is still nice to know you can boat down the Andy safely.

That is all for this week. Enjoy the fall weather.

From

Western Mountains Senior College

Two educational meetings for family and friends of people with dementia, or memory loss, will be held at the West Parish Congregational Church, Church Street, Bethel, on Oct. 13 and 20 from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m.

These programs, part of the fall To Your Health series presented by Western Mountains Senior College, SAD44 Community Education, Bethel Family Health Center and the Maine Alzheimer's Association, will help people discover the facts and myths about Alzheimer's disease.

According to the Alzheimer's Association, there are over 1,250 people with Alzheimer's disease in Oxford County. These people are one's family members, friends and neighbors. Peg Gagnon, Information and Outreach for the Alzheimer's Association, Maine Chapter, who will present the programs, said "education helps break down the barriers so that as a community we can better support the very people who need us the most."

"Time and time again," added Gagnon, "caregivers of people with Alzheimer's disease talk about their sense of isolation." Many men and women speak of friends they once had who no longer come to visit since their loved one's diagnosis, she said.

"If you are one of those people who don't really know what to say or do or wonder

what you might do to help, this series will respond to these and other questions in the most compassionate way possible," added Gagnon.

Topics to be covered in the Oct. 13 workshop include what's involved with the diagnosis of dementia; stages of dementia of the Alzheimer's type and what happens and what to expect.

Topics in the Oct. 20 workshop include what it must be like to have Alzheimer's disease, easy ways to communicate and spend valuable time with a person with dementia, and how little is needed to make life better for a caregiver.

The public is invited to these programs and admission is free. However, donations are appreciated to offset Senior College expenses. For more information, contact one of the co-chairs, R. Tift at 824-2053 or W. Iseman at 824-8610. Questions about the Maine Alzheimer's Association can be directed to Gagnon at (800) 660-2871.

Marvin Intrigues Down Home

Marvin Collins, vice president of mountain operations at Sunday River Ski Resort, impressed an attentive gathering at the Gehring House last Thursday as he related the sophistication of today's snow-making and grooming technology at "The River."

Marvin's talk went into "overtime" as he expertly responded to many questions. Marvin's talk was the first of the new fall series of Down Home Maine. The addition of light refreshments and beverages, a new feature this fall, added to the informality and relaxed setting of the evening.

The next gathering will be held on Thursday, Nov. 1, from 4:30 to 6 p.m. and will feature Jim Mann of Mount Mann Jewelers, who will share his expertise about "Maine Gems and Mining."

Mark Your Calendar
On Saturday, Oct. 27, from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., the To Your Health series offers a field trip to the Mahoosuc Guide Service in Newry. We'll learn all about "Dogs and Why They Make Us Feel So Good." FMI: call Wendy at 824-8610.

From

Bethel Historical Society's Regional History Center

David Fuller, agriculture and natural resources pro-

fessional at the University of Maine's Cooperative Extension Service, will be the featured speaker at the next lecture in the 2007 Bethel Historical Society series on "Maine Character and Characters," to be held on Thursday, Oct. 11, at 7:30 p.m. in the meeting room of the Dr. Moses Mason House, 14 Broad Street.

Collecting and chewing spruce gum has been a Maine tradition for generations. Mr. Fuller will provide insights into the collection and marketing of spruce gum in Maine through the years. This lecture and others in the series have been made possible in part by a grant from the Maine Humanities Council. The lecture is free and open to all interested persons.

Valuation Day
An opportunity to learn something about the value of antiques and collectibles will be offered by the Bethel Historical Society on Saturday, Nov. 10, at the society's O'Neil Robinson House from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

For a \$5 donation to the society, Jay Boschetti of Steam Mill Antiques will provide a value for one or two items per person. Mr. Boschetti has been involved in this field for much of his life and operates a successful business just west of Bethel Hill on U.S. Route 2. Anyone possessing an antique or collectible item who wishes to know something of its background and monetary value is urged to attend this special opportunity to obtain some idea of its worth.

20th Century Maine Course
A four-session history of 20th century Maine will be offered this fall by the Bethel Historical Society, beginning at 7:30 p.m. on Oct. 30 at the society's Regional History Center.

The instructor for this course will be Society Director Stanley R. Howe, who holds an undergraduate degree from the University of Southern Maine in history, and graduate degrees also in history from the universities of Connecticut (M.A.) and Maine (Ph.D.).

Howe has taught Maine history on several occasions at the society and, at the university level, most recently last fall at the University of Southern Maine. He has been book review editor for Maine History for nearly twenty years.

A former trustee of the Maine Historical Society, he also serves on its Editorial Board and Publications Committee. He was a contributor to the most comprehensive history of the state to date,



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Maine, The Pine Tree State from Prehistory to the Present," published by the University of Maine Press in 1995 and has written a book on the history of Maine State Grange, which appeared in 1994.

Among the topics to be addressed during the course will be changes in Maine farming, industry, logging and landscape through the years, political, social and economic developments during the century, as well as a discussion of leading Maine figures in various fields of endeavor from Margaret Chase Smith to Marsden Hartley to Stephen King.

Course fees for the course, which includes all course materials, are \$25 for non-members and \$20 for members. Sessions will also be held on Nov. 6, 20, and 27, from 7:30 to 9 p.m.

From Ellis River Riders

On Sept. 7 and 8 the town of Andover and Memory Lane Vacations were the proud hosts of the TV show Best of America by Horseback as they filmed their Grand Tour Event for the state of Maine.

Trailers began arriving to camp on Thursday and Friday with riders from all over New England.

Friday morning, Tom Seay, host and executive producer, and Deb Cayer, of Memory Lane Vacations, rode into the Andover Elementary School campus to visit with the 41 students and staff. The children had a chance to visit with the horses and ask questions of Tom and the BOABH crew. That was followed by some touch football and games on the playground with Amy and David from the Best of America group.

Friday evening, riders were busy setting up camp and signing up for the weekend events. That night everyone gathered around the bonfire where TV show host Tom Seay welcomed the riders. The crowd thoroughly enjoyed Tom's down-home humor and stories that had everyone laughing. Then we had the pleasure of listening to some wonderful western music as cowboy singer/songwriter/poet Del Shields made us feel like we were truly out West on the range. It certainly set the stage for a fun, light-

hearted weekend.

Saturday's events started with an opening ceremony with the National Anthem sung by 10-year-old Randi Jipson, of the Ellis River Riders Club, and the flags carried by the trail riders. Then eighty-six horses and riders headed out on the trail for the filmed TV trail ride. They crossed the Ellis River and headed north for day one of the two-trail rides. It was unusually warm but everyone enjoyed the trek.

On arrival back at camp, professional horsemanship clinician Kerry Kuhn began his demonstration and offered to work with a couple of local horses with problems. Kerry was wonderfully easy to understand. He has a unique ability to work so easily with the horse and owner for a better understanding. Following was a versatility demonstration by the Tennessee Walking Horse Breeders and Exhibitors Association (TWHBEA), presented by Julie Dillon and Lynn McLaughlin.

The vendor's area was set up with several tack shops along with natural foods, greenhouse, trailer sales, Tennessee Walking Horse Association, promotional company, sign company and honored with the presence of the Maine Bureau of Tourism, the Maine Department of Agriculture, director of Animal Welfare, and the Maine Horse Council.

Two large tents with picnic tables provided shade to have lunch when the riders returned. BBQ pulled pork sandwiches, fresh coleslaw, baked beans and brownies were served up to riders and the public. The Apple Pie Baking contest, which was hosted by the Andover Service Circle, drew 14 entries and the winners were: first-place, Cindy Beedy of Rumford and second-place Gloria Cayer of Andover.



BEST OF AMERICA IN ANDOVER—Last month Andover and Memory Lane Vacations hosted the TV show "Best of America by Horseback," as they filmed their Grand Tour Event for Maine (see Ellis River Riders column). Here, Deb Cayer and "Shady" Amy Pittman of Best of America give kids a "hands-on" horse experience.

doover.

The Pennacook Art Center hosted an Art Show at the Town Hall and the Historical Society had the building open for guests on both days. Kids enjoyed a stick rodeo in the afternoon followed by more country music with Del Shields and local talent Terry Swett and Nickles & Dimes (Margaret Arsenault, Jim Littlefield, Del Parker and friends).

The day ended at the Andover Fire Station where Chief Ken Dixon and his crew provided a "class act" banquet for the riders. The tables were gorgeous, with burgundy tablecloths, china and fresh bouquets of fall flowers in tiny pumpkins. Recognition plaques were given to the town of Andover and dignitaries and also to Memory Lane Vacations.

Following the dinner everyone had a chance to speak to Tom, Del and Kerry as they signed autographs.

Sunday morning, there was Cowboy Church, which every-

one attended on horseback. Kerry gave another horsemanship demonstration and then riders headed out for the second ride of the weekend. In spite of the light rain, everyone had a great trip.

The Best of America by Horseback TV show has an audience of seven million weekly and airs on RFD TV, which is currently available on 900 cable systems, including DirecTV Channel 379 and Dish Network Channel 231. They predict the Andover Grand Tour Show will be scheduled to air by the first of the year.

Because of their warm welcome by the community they are planning a return trip to Andover on Oct. 11 and 12 of 2008. Be sure to mark your calendars, if you missed the

special event you can plan to be part of the fun in '08!

From Oxford County Democrats

The Oxford County Democrats recorded more than 700 participants in the Presidential Preference Straw Poll conducted at the Fryeburg Fair, as well as many additional visitors to the booth who proclaimed themselves "undecided". Senator Hilary Clinton easily bested the field with 53 percent, followed by Senator Barack Obama at 19 percent, John Edwards at 16 percent, and the rest of the field each receiving less than 5 percent.

The volunteers staffing the booth reported many positive comments about the Democratic Party for 2008, with particular interest in Congressman Tom Allen's race for the US Senate.

Visitors to the booth came from as far away as Germany, Arizona and California, with the majority coming from Maine and New Hampshire.

The two Special Election races involving Oxford County were highlights of the Fair booth. Sheryl Briggs of Mexico is the candidate in District 93, and voters in Canton, Carthage, Dixfield, Mexico and Peru will vote in that election on Nov. 6. Kate Smith of Sebago is the candidate in District 99, involving the towns of Baldwin, Cornish, Denmark, Sebago, and Limington.

The Oxford County Democrats welcome involvement of volunteers in the Special Election activities this fall, as

well as in the caucuses on Feb. 10, 2008, which will kick off a busy 2008 campaign in Maine. Information is available on the Oxford County Democrats website, www.oxforddems.org, which links to the Maine Democratic Party.

Those wishing to receive the e-newsletter may contact County Chair Cathy Newell at 875-2116 or cathyn@megalink.net.

From Gould Academy

Acclaimed pianist Laura Kargul will perform works by Beethoven, Chopin and Ravel at a Gould Academy Steinway Recital Friday, Oct. 12, at 8 p.m. in Bingham Auditorium on Church Street. The event is free.

Kargul began performing internationally after receiving her doctorate in piano performance from the University of Michigan. Her European debut in the Netherlands in 1985 was hailed by the Rotterdam Nieuwsblad as "one of the most remarkable debut recitals recently given in our country."

The following year she played at Amsterdam's Concertgebouw and earned immediate recognition as a world-class pianist.

As a guest of numerous international music festivals, she has appeared at: the Schleswig-Holstein, Nordhessen, and Eisenacher Summer Music Festivals in Germany, the Evian Music Festival in France, the Opera Theater and Music Festival of Lucca in Italy, and the Lesvos Arts

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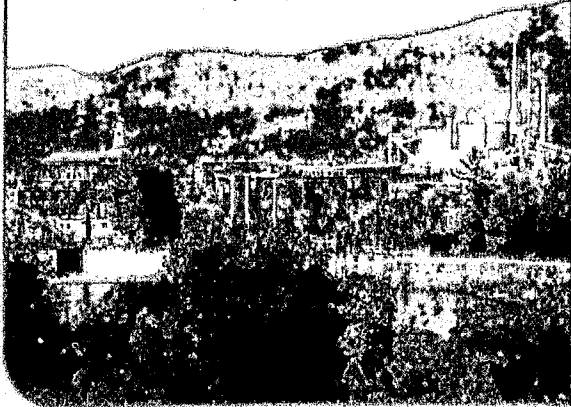
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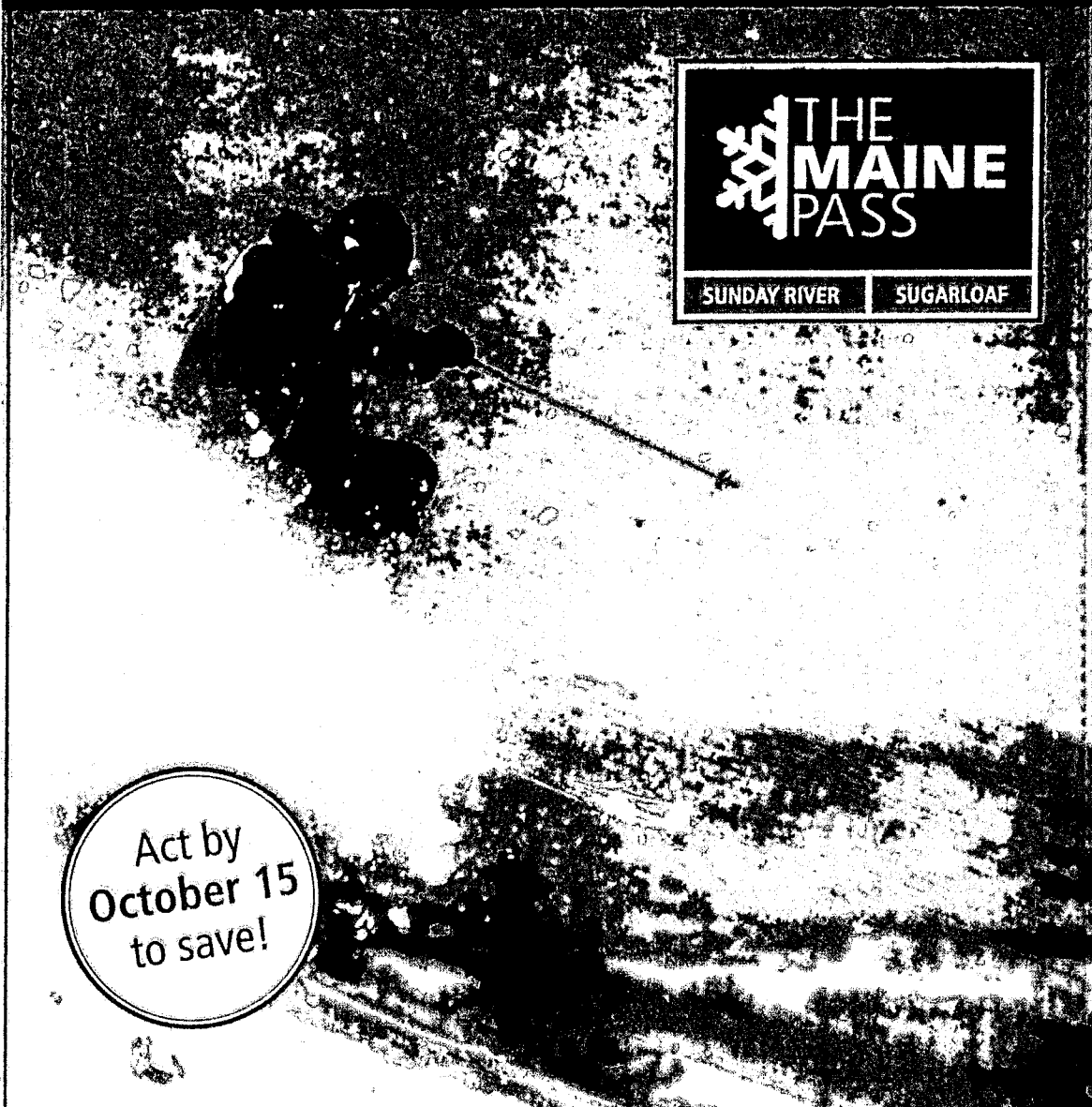
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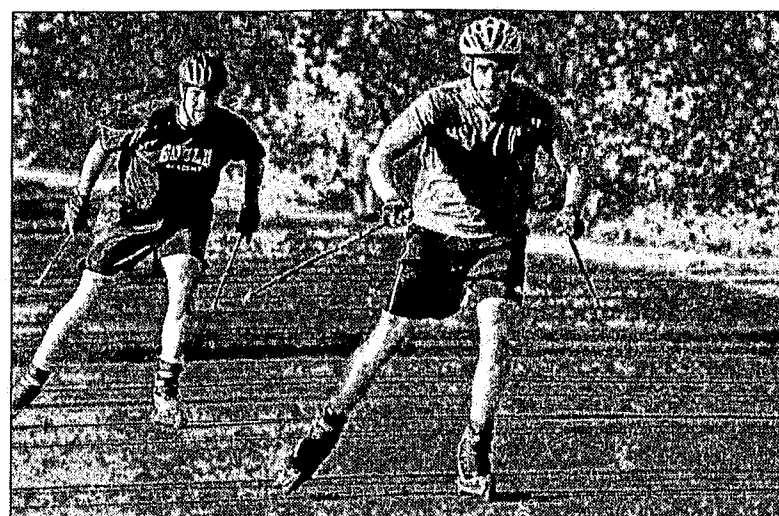
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Kargul is one of few pianists ever invited to give a full recital on Liszt's own Bechstein piano at the Lisztthaus in Weimar, Germany. She has recorded for radio in France, Germany, the Netherlands, and Jamaica, as well as for PBS radio and national television in the United States.

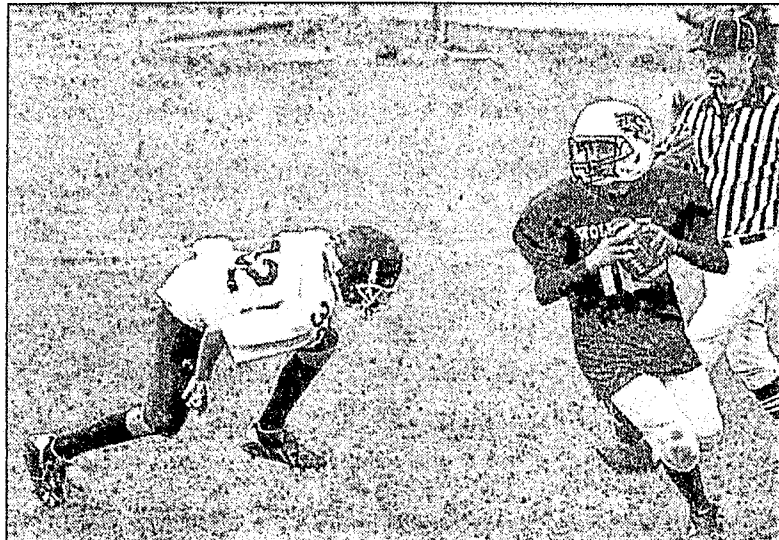
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Mountain in Connecticut and the Aspen Music Festival in Colorado.
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ROLLING TOWARD WINTER—Gould Academy Nordic Ski Coach Jeremy Nellis and Peter Cowan, class of 2010 from Bethel, roll down Vernon Street. The two took advantage of last week's weather for some dry land training.

(Photo: Dirk MacKnight/Gould Academy)



LOOKING FOR A TARGET—Woodstock Wolfpack quarterback Dominic Haines looks for a receiver in Sunday's game against Dirigo. Dirigo prevailed, 20-0.

Sports

High School Boys' Varsity Soccer

Dirigo 1 Telstar 0; Oct. 5—Telstar's Dan Vaughn made 14 saves in a loss to Dirigo.

Bridgton Academy 10, Gould Academy 0; Oct. 6

High School Boys' J.V. Soccer

Gould Academy 9, Hebron Academy 0; Oct. 6—Gould goals from six different players: Dachuan Zhu, Moritz Heinz, Albrecht von Imhoff, Jack Woolf, Alejandro Munoz Casas, Kwang Woo Mun and Andrew Keith.

High School Girls' Varsity Soccer

New Hampton School 9, Gould Academy 2; Oct. 3—Brittany Rogers and Seana Siekman scored the Huskies' two goals.

High School Varsity Field Hockey

Telstar 3, Mt. Valley 1; Oct. 6—Telstar's Bailey Davis, Josie Reiss and Whitney Mills scored goals in a win over Mt. Valley. Bean and Mills each had an assist. Goalie Brianna Douglass had four saves.

Hebron Academy 6, Gould Academy 0; Oct. 6

High School J.V. Field Hockey

Telstar 5, Dirigo 1; Oct. 3—Telstar improved to 9-1-1. The Rebels came within two seconds of recording a shutout, but the Cougars scored as time ran out in the second half. Taylor Maines and Kayla Merrill each scored twice, while Felicia Dumont also scored a goal. Katelyn Sumner contributed with 3 assists, and Jamie Steven assisted on a goal as well. Megan Bonney and Victoria Forkus played a great game on the defensive end of the field.

School Lunch—Week of Oct. 15

Telstar Lunches

Monday: Hot turkey sandwich, seasoned peas, cranberry sauce, salad bar or pizza choices, hot sandwich choices.
Tuesday: Shepherd's pie, green beans, homemade roll or make-your-own sandwich bar or salad bar, or pizza choices, hot sandwich choices.
Wednesday: Rice bar with egg roll, cookie, or make-your-own sandwich bar, or salad bar, or pizza choices.
Thursday: Italian dunkers, seasoned carrots, or make-your-own sandwich bar, corn cobbettes, or salad bar, or hot sandwich choices.
Friday: Meatball sub w/cheese, potato chips, or hot sandwich options or salad bar, or pizza choices.

SAD44 Elementary Schools Lunches

Monday: Hot turkey sandwich, seasoned peas, cranberry sauce or salad bar, or pbj sandwich.
Tuesday: Shepherd's pie, green beans, homemade roll, or salad bar, or ham and cheese sandwich, or pbj sandwich.
Wednesday: Chicken and oriental vegetables stir fry, rice, or salad bar, or hot dog/bun, or pbj sandwich.
Thursday: Italian dunkers, cheesy bread w/dipping sauce, or salad bar, or fish sandwich/bun, or pbj sandwich.
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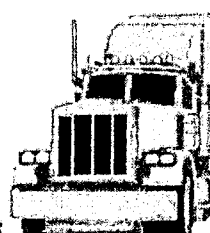
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Please take notice that: Maine Mountain Properties, LLC, PO Box 189, Newry, Maine 04261, tel. 207-824-3899, is intending to file a Traffic Movement Permit application with the Maine Department of Transportation pursuant to the provisions of 23 MRSA §§ 704-A on or about October 4, 2007.

The application is for an expansion of The Peaks residential subdivision in Newry. The project is located on the easterly of Sunday River, northwest of Vista Road. Construction is expected to begin in 2008 with significant occupancy by 2010. The entire subdivision is expected to generate approximately 80 one-way trips during the weekday AM peak hour and 107 trips during the weekday PM peak hour.

A request for a public hearing must be received by the Department, in writing, no later than 20 days after the application is found by the Department to be complete and is accepted for processing. Public comment on the application will be accepted throughout the processing of the application.

The application will be filed for public inspection at the Department of Transportation Region 3 office in Dixfield, Maine during normal working hours. A copy of the application may also be seen at the municipal offices in Newry, Maine.

Written public comments may be sent to the Department of Transportation, Traffic Engineering Division, 16 State House Station, Augusta, Maine 04333

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Sports

High School Cross-country

Gould in second place finish out of six at Kent's Hill Invitational; Oct. 6—Gould sophomores Henry Gaudion and Peter Cowan finished in third and fifth place respectively. On their heels were Jeffrey Lewis, James Olcott, and Seamus Reynolds, bunched together within 30 seconds of one another. Bradley Bowden, Jimmy Gibson, and Matt Gould all ran great races and notable mention to Ben Sahin who ran well in his first ever cross-country competition. The Gould women sent a smaller squad to the race and witnessed a breakout performance by many of the team members. Sophomore Katie Gibson broke into the top echelon of runners, finishing in fifth place overall. Gigi Dejoy and Audrey Isom picked up valuable points for the team finishing in 12th and 13th place, followed closely by Cassie Yasko, Katherine Raker, and Alex Leighton.—from GA sports reports

High School Golf

Class C Championships—Telstar's golf team finished fifth in the State Class C Team Championships. Twelve teams qualified for the team competition with St. Dom's winning the championship with a 321 score. Wiscasset finished as runners up with a 369, followed by Winthrop, Greenville and then Telstar with a 377. Kyle Maines and Ryan Hannigan led the Rebels with rounds of 81 and 89 respectively. Trevor Kendall finished with a fine score of 99 and was followed by Dane Wilson and Asher Wilson. It was a fine effort by the Rebels this year. Kyle Maines will play in the State Individual Championships this Saturday at Natanis Golf Course.—coach Jim Lunney

Telstar qualifies for states—Telstar's golf team qualified for the State Team Championships. The team was the low school among all Class C schools in the Mt Valley Conference with a 370 total. Kyle Maines qualified for the State Individual Championships as well with a round of 84. He tied for 5th in the conference. Ryan Hannigan with an 89 missed qualifying for the Individual States by one stroke. Dane Wilson (97), Trevor Kendall (100) and Asher Wilson (104) all played well to secure a spot in the Team Championships.

TMS J.V. Soccer

Telstar 6, Carrabec 0; Oct. 5—An offensive hat trick was scored by Rebel Austin Ryerson, with additional goals by Tyler James, Travis Brown, and Nik Conrad. Assists came from Anna Saucier, Maisey Griffin, Travis Brown, Rachel Wheeler, and 2 from Nik Conrad. Great support and effort by Eric Lowell, Josef Holt, Cathryn Haberman-Fake, Cody Boivin, Zach Hartzell, Echo Pelc, Abby Ford, and Marcus Bennett. Another shut out in goal by Justin Stearns and Avery Rossow.—coach Mark Kenney

Telstar 3, Dirigo 0; Oct. 4—Telstar's Justin Stearns and Avery Rossow combined for the shutout in goal stopping both shots

faced. Goals were scored by Marcus Bennett, Travis Brown, and Nik Conrad on an assist by Justin Stearns. Superior defense by Josef Holt, Zach Hartzell, Rachel Wheeler, and Echo Pelc.—coach Mark Kenney

TMS 4, Jay 1; Oct. 2—Telstar's Justin Stearns and Avery Rossow combined for an excellent effort in goal, surrendering only the first goal of the season. Offense was led by Nik Conrad with two goals, one goal from Travis Brown, one goal and one assist by Catherine Haberman-Fake, and an assist by Anna Saucier. Great midfield play also from Josef Holt, Sam Riley and Rachel Wheeler. It was a well played game in a very physical setting.—coach Mark Kenney

TMS Varsity Field Hockey

Telstar 7, Dirigo 0; Oct. 2—Telstar's Jenna Putnam scored a hat trick to lead the team in a win over Dirigo. Other goals were scored by Megan LaCroix, Naomi Ellsworth, Gaby Conrad, and Kallie Brown. The offense kept the pressure on Dirigo throughout the game. Support from the midfield was strong and the Telstar defense kept it away from goalie Carlee Beatson.—coach Lori Davis

Telstar 2, Livermore Falls 0; Sept. 27—Telstar center midfielder Lyndsay Merrill started the scoring for the Rebels after a corner. Megan LaCroix secured the win by getting the second goal. Jenna Putnam led the offense with her aggressive play and assisted both goals. The defense played a strong game and Tabitha Corriveau only had to make three saves in goal. The whole team stepped up their play, by stopping Livermore's drives and beating them to the ball.—coach Lori Davis

TMS J.V. Field Hockey

TMS 1, Dirigo 0; Oct. 2—Telstar's goal was scored by Skye Dole with an assist from Molly Bruce. Great defense was played by Rachel Boyd, Nicole Downs, Autum Morin, Samantha Hinckley, Kayla Verrill, Alexis O'Brien, Andra Risko, Chelsea Groves, and Heather Miller. Kelsie Heath, Allie Kelly, and Dakota Verrill provided great offensive support.—coach Lori Davis

Youth Football

Fifth and Sixth Grade: Mt. Blue Patriots 20, Greenwood Spartans 8; Oct. 7—The Spartan's offense racked up a ton

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Public Hearing

Town of Woodstock, Maine

The Woodstock Board of Selectmen will hold a Public Hearing on October 18, 2007 at 6:00pm at the Town Office to take comments on the 2007 Appendixes A, B & C as revised for the General Assistance Ordinance as established by Maine General Assistance Law (22 MRSA 4305-3B)

These appendixes establish the amount of general assistance that is available to qualifying citizens for housing, food, heating and utilities. A copy of the document is on file at the Woodstock town office.

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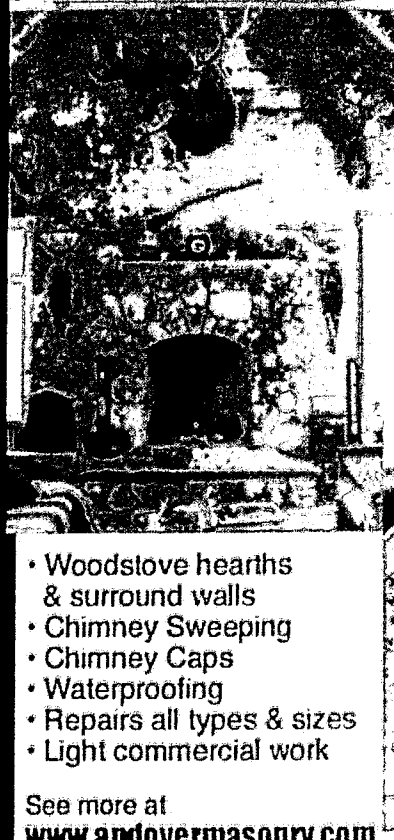
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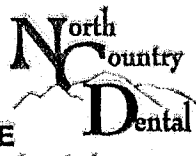
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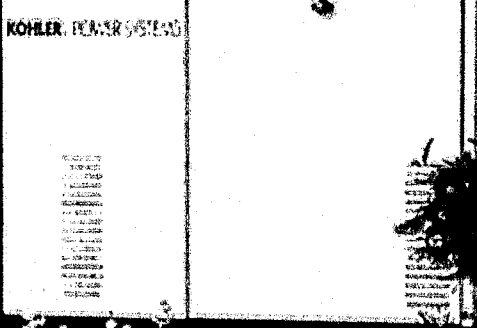
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Every Wednesday, 7 to 9 p.m. — The Yet To Be Named Banjo Club practices in the Commons of the Fare Share Market at 477 Main Street, Norway. Interested banjoists are invited to join. The public is welcome to come in and listen. FMI: call Alan Hamilton at 875-2680.
7 p.m. (second Tuesday each month) — Open mike original poetry reading at Mouse and Bean, 633 Main Street, Bethel. FMI: 824-2366. Come read or just have coffee and take in the scene.
Oct. 5 thru Nov. 24 — First and Third Wednesdays 9 to 12 a.m. — Veterans' Advocate will be at Maine Veterans' Home, South Paris.

Thursday, Oct. 11

5 to 6:30 p.m. — **Public Supper** at Stoneham Congregational Church vestry, Main Street. \$7, \$3.50 for under 12. FMI: call Sharon McAllister at 928-2878.

6 p.m. — **Bethel Lions Club** meeting at Bethel Methodist Church, Main Street, Bethel. Coffee and dessert served. Come check us out, people of all ages welcome.

6 to 8 p.m. — **Living (and Cooking) Gluten-Free Lecture/Workshop** Session II at Telstar Regional High School Room 106. Tuition: \$15 per session. FMI or to register: call Suzanne Dunham at 665-2967 or e-mail dunhamfarm@msn.com.

6 to 8 p.m. — **"Lawn Maintenance Practices,"** Part III of a five-part gardening series at Oxford County Extension (\$5 each), South Paris. FMI: call 743-6329 or (800) 287-1482.

6:30 p.m. — **Waterford/Stoneham/Albany Lions Club** meeting at Stoneham Rescue Barn. All Lions should bring something for a potluck.

7:30 p.m. — **Bethel Historical Society's** featured speaker will be David Fuller, Agriculture and Natural Resources professional at the University of Maine's Cooperative Extension Service, in the meeting room of the Dr. Moses Mason House, 14 Broad Street. Fuller will provide insights into the collection and marketing of spruce gum in Maine through the years. This lecture and others in the series have been made possible in part by a grant from the Maine Humanities Council. Free and open to all interested persons. FMI: call 824-2908.

Friday, Oct. 12

8 p.m. — **Acclaimed pianist Laura Kargul** will perform works by Beethoven, Chopin and Ravel at a Gould Academy Steinway Recital in Bingham Auditorium on Church Street. Free.

Friday and Saturday, Oct. 12 and 13

3rd Annual Parrot Head Golf Classic for Alzheimer's at The Bethel Inn Resort and Country Club. Weekend activities include a golf tournament, Hawaiian Luau, raffle drawings, great food, resort activities, and more. Proceeds to benefit the Alzheimer's Association of Maine. To register in advance or for more information: visit www.phcmaine.com, e-mail golf@phcmaine.com or call (207) 415-3823.

9 a.m. to 4 p.m. — **Yard Sale and Chinese Auction** to benefit Families in Crisis Task Force at the parking lot of Family Counseling Services, 659 Park Street, South Paris.

Saturday, Oct. 13

9 to 12 a.m. — **Household Hazardous Waste Collection** for Bethel, Greenwood, Hanover, Newry, Woodstock area residents at the SAD44 Bus Barn, corner Main Street and Cross Street, Bethel. Wastes accepted: oil based paints, varnishes, lacquers, paint thinners, pesticides, old gasoline and contaminated waste oil, old pool chemicals, smoke detectors and almost anything that has the words "caution, warning, poison, corrosive, toxic, volatile, flammable or danger" on the label. Not accepted: latex paint, ammunition, or explosives. FMI: contact AVCOG at 783-9186 or visit www.avcog.org under HHW 2007.

9 a.m. to 1 p.m. — **Yard Sale** at West Parish Congregational Church, UCC on Church Street, Bethel. Toys, tools, "Tiffany Treasures," household items, and bargains galore. Sale benefits Smile Fund that aids those in need of restorative dental work.

9:30 to 11:30 a.m. — **Educational Meeting on Dementia**, for families and friends of people with dementia, at West Parish Congregational Church, Garland Chapel, Church Street, Bethel, presented by Peg Gagnon, MS, information and outreach specialist, Alzheimer's Association, Maine Chapter. Sponsored by Western Mountains Senior College, Bethel Family Health Center, SAD44/Community Education and the Alzheimer's Association, Maine Chapter. FMI: call (800) 272-3900.

Fall Foliage River Run on Androscoggin River starting from Hanover Boat Ramp after 10 a.m. and ending at Rumford Boat Ramp near McDonald's restaurant. Sponsored by River Valley Chamber of Commerce. Registration at Premium Specialty Hardwood, Route 2, Rumford.

2 to 4 p.m. — **Chinese Auction** sponsored by Telstar Alumni Association at American Legion Hall, Gore Road, Locke Mills. All proceeds will go to the Educational Assistance Awards Fund. The auction drawings will start at 4 p.m. Items are still needed for this event. FMI or to make a donation: call Sally (875-3335 or e-mail sallys71@adelphia.net), Cindy (824-2759 or e-mail hutchins@sad44.org), or Joe (833-2010 or e-mail poco02@megalink.net).

7 p.m. — **Harvest Dance** sponsored by Otisfield Fire Department at Otisfield Community Hall (gray building) on Route 121. Old-time Rock n' Roll. FMI: call Linda Hooker at 743-9554 Ext. 3 (work).

7 to 10 p.m. — **Old Time Dance** at Locke Mills Town Hall with music by the Richard Felt Orchestra. Proceeds benefit of Greenwood Historical Society.

7:30 p.m. — **Western Maine Holistic Health Council** will present Elizabeth Williams, gifted medium who will share a channeled message of love from a group of Light Beings called the Brotherhood, at Gehring House, Bethel. Cost: \$10. FMI: call Spirit Wings at 824-2204.

Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 13 and 14

Wellness Weekend at Mahoosuc with six practitioners offering their services throughout the weekend. Massage therapy, foot reflexology, acupunct, integrated energy therapy, spiritual counseling and archetypal readings. Potluck dinner and speaker Saturday night. Call Polly at 824-2073 for more details.

Sunday, Oct. 14

11 a.m. — **Albany Congregational Church** meeting.

12 to 1:30 p.m. — **Harvest Dinner** at Rumford Grange, Rumford Center. Menu: corned beef and ham. \$7 for adults and \$3.50 children.

2 to 4 p.m. — **Reception for Department of Maine President Helvi Cary**, Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War will be held at Franklin Grange Hall in Bryant Pond.

Noon to 3 p.m. — **Work, Walk and Ribbon Cutting** at extension of Bethel Parkway. Assemble at Bethel Outdoor Adventure; bring lunch, spade and rake. At 3 p.m., assemble at Davis Park to walk the full path's length over the bridge and to the path's end at the North Road. Ribbon-cutting ceremony after crossing the bridge to officially open the new trail section. Work and walk or just walk or just watch. Bring a lunch. Bring something for the grill for once all the work is done. Questions? Call Jeff Parsons at 824-4224.

Tuesday, Oct. 16

World Spine Day (October is Spinal Awareness Month), established by The World Health Association. Dr. Ray Higby, Bethel Station Chiropractic, One Parkway, will be doing "free" spinal check-ups for all businesses and/or organizations. FMI: call 824-3899.

11:30 a.m. — **Christian Women United luncheon** meeting at First Congregational Church, South Paris. Those not contacted may call Pearl Anderson at 743-5724.



GOULD ACADEMY HOSTS WORLD RENOWNED PIANIST LAURA KARGUL

Acclaimed pianist Laura Kargul will perform works by Beethoven, Chopin and Ravel at a Gould Academy Steinway Recital Friday, October 12, 2007 at 8:00 p.m. in Bingham Auditorium on Church Street in Bethel. The event is free.

Kargul began performing internationally after receiving her doctorate in piano performance from the University of Michigan. Her European debut in the Netherlands in 1985 was hailed by the Rotterdams Nieuwsblad as "one of the most remarkable debut recitals recently given in our country." The following year she played at Amsterdam's Concertgebouw and earned immediate recognition as a world class pianist.

As a guest of numerous international music festivals, she has appeared at the Schleswig-Holstein, Nordhessen, and Eisenacher Summer Music Festivals in Germany, the Evian Music Festival in France, the Opera Theater and Music Festival of Lucca in Italy, and the Lesvos Arts Festival in Greece. Ms. Kargul is one of few pianists ever invited to give a full recital on Liszt's own Beethoven piano at the Lisztthaus in Weimar, Germany. She has recorded for radio in France, Germany, the Netherlands, and Jamaica, as well as for PBS radio and national television in the United States. As a collaborative artist she has performed with ensembles such as the Lark Quartet and the Da Ponte String Quartet in venues such as Music Mountain in Connecticut and the Aspen Music Festival in Colorado.

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Gould received the "All-Steinway School" status when the Academy upgraded to eight new Steinway pianos. Gould is only the second independent school in New England, and the first in Maine, to join the distinguished list of "All-Steinway Schools," an honor shared by others including: Oberlin College Conservatory, Yale School of Music, The Juilliard School, Wheaton College, Vassar College, and Cushing Academy.

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6:30 p.m. — **Public Informational Meeting**, to discuss the school consolidation process with SAD44 Supt. David W. Murphy and members of the SAD44 School Board, will be held at Woodstock School/multi-purpose room.

Thursdays, Oct. 16, 23, 30 and Nov. 6

6 to 8 p.m. — **Parenting Through Separation and Divorce workshop** series by University of Maine Cooperative Extension at Oxford County Extension Office, 9 Olson Road, South Paris. Free, but pre-registration required by calling (800) 287-1482 or 743-6329 by Oct. 11. Space limited.

Wednesday, Oct. 17

11 a.m. to 2 p.m. — **Basics of Micro Access Business Lunch and Learn** seminar by River Valley Technology Center, River Valley Growth Council and River Valley Chamber of Commerce, all of Rumford. Cost: \$10 includes lunch. Pre-payment required by calling Lorraine at 369-0396 or e-mail lorraine@rvgc.org by Oct. 15.

6:30 p.m. — **Public Informational Meeting** to discuss the school consolidation process with SAD44 Supt. David W. Murphy and members of the SAD44 School Board will be held at Greenwood Town Office.

7 p.m. — **Maine Fiddler's Showcase** and **Ed Howe of Damariscotta at Skye Theatre Performing Arts Center**, South Carthage. Pre-show fiddler's jam at 6:15. Tickets: \$10 at door. Reservations strongly suggested. FMI, reservations or directions: call New England Celtic Arts at 562-4445 or visit www.necelticarts.com.

Thursday, Oct. 18

6 p.m. — **Potluck Supper** at Wilkins Community House, Plummer Hill Road, Waterford. Bring dish to share. Rolls and beverages provided.

6 to 8 p.m. — **"Plant Choices,"** Part IV of a five-part gardening series at Oxford County Extension (\$5), South Paris. FMI: call 743-6329 or (800) 287-1482.

6:30 p.m. — **Public Informational Meeting**, to discuss the school consolidation process with SAD44 Supt. David W. Murphy and members of the SAD44 School Board, will be held at Newry Town Office.

Friday, Oct. 19

10:30 a.m. — **Oxford County Educators Association Retired** meeting at Buckfield Community Church, Route 117, Buckfield. Speaker: Buckfield Superintendent Brian Colpitts re School Consolidation. Fundraisers: sale of apple pies and 50/50 calendar raffle.

It's always wise to call ahead

Listings in The Citizen's weekly Community Calendar are compiled from a wide variety of sources. While we do our utmost to ensure the reliability of the information presented here, we recognize that when dealing with such a large volume of material, some inaccuracies will occasionally creep in. And in other cases, a sponsoring organization's plans may change between the time The Citizen is printed and the event is held. Accordingly, we strongly urge our readers to call ahead to verify the details of any event they plan to attend. Doing so will greatly reduce the chance of disappointment or needless inconvenience.

Support Services

ABUSED WOMEN'S ADVOCACY PROJECT

AWAP serves all of Oxford County and provides emergency shelter, court advocacy and support groups with child care. Rumford office 369-0750; Norway office 743-5086; 24 hour hotline 1-800-559-2927

AA MEETINGS

Bethel Freedom Group's Big Book Meeting Sundays at 6pm at the United Methodist Church, Main Street.

Bethel Freedom Group's Speaker/Discussion Meeting, Tuesdays at 6pm at the United Methodist Church, Main Street.

Bethel Freedom Group's 12 Step/Traditions Meeting, Fridays at 6pm at Bethel United Methodist Church.

ADDICTION HELP

Narconon, a nonprofit public benefit organization that specializes in helping people with drug or alcohol addictions offers FREE assessments and more than 11,000 local referrals through the 800 line. Drug addiction can be overcome and Narconon can help. Call (800) 556-8885 or visit www.drugrehab.net.

ALCOHOL & DRUG COUNSELING

Alcohol and drug counseling. Saturdays at Bethel Counseling Center, 16 Parkway (Professional Building). Tom Kelly, LADC, 357-7354

EXCHANGES

District Exchange Community Thrift Shop accepts donations of in-season clothing in clean, wearable condition only. Drop-off hours and shopping: Monday 1-4pm, Thursday 4-6pm and Saturday 10am-12pm.

The Woodstock Seventh Day Adventist Church Community Service Center announces that individuals or families requiring assistance with food needs in the South Woodstock, Bryant Pond, West Paris and Sumner areas are invited to call 674-2566, 674-2663, or 665-2226 to learn more details.

MS SUPPORT GROUP

Meets the first Friday of the month from 1-2:30pm at the West Parish Congregational Church, next to Gould Academy. For more information, call Darcy Lund at 739-2888.

MENTAL ILLNESS SUPPORT GROUP

Beacon House Social Club, 150 Congress Street, Rumford, a drop-in social club for adults suffering with mental, emotional, or physical illness, provides support, relaxation, and socialization. Monday 1 to 5pm; Tuesday 9am-2pm; Wednesday 9am-8pm; Wednesday 3-8pm; Friday 2-7pm; Saturday 11am-4pm. Oxford County Mental Health Services, support for adults and children with mental illness, same location, second floor, open Monday-Friday 8am-4pm. For more information, call 364-3549 or (800) 335-9999, or in off-hours 928-3222.

POST PARTUM SUPPORT GROUP

"Meet the Midwives" meets from 5-6:30 every first Tuesday of the month, and the Post Partum Support Group meets every fourth Wednesday of the month from 6:30-7:30. The meetings take place at Blue Moon Midwives, 176 Main Street, Norway, directly across from Stephen's Memorial Hospital. For more information, call 207-739-2800 or visit www.bluemoonmidwives.com

REACH

Rape Education and Crisis Hotline 1-800-871-7741. Sexual assault/sexual abuse hotline, same number. Support groups and awareness education, past or present victims of abuse.

VETERANS' SERVICES (STATE/VA BENEFITS)

Maine Veterans Home, S. Paris, first Wednesday each month, 9-12 noon (743-6300); Career Center in Rumford (364-3718), second Thursday 9-12 noon; Lewiston (795-4590), 29 Westminster St., 7:30am to 4pm, Monday thru Friday. Location: Monday-Sunday School 2:45-4:15pm. Tel. 392-4841.

Church Services

ALBANY

Congregational Church - Hunts Corner, 9:30am. Sunday worship and Sunday School at 9am; Pastor Eddie Gammon. Bible Study 6:30 Thursdays at the home of Fernand Corriveau.

ANDOVER

First Congregational Church Rev. Jane Rich. Sunday morning worship 10am. followed by coffee fellowship. All are welcome. FMI - 392-3761.

Calvary Bible Church - Pastor Ken Wagstaff. Sunday School 9:30am; Morning worship 10:45am; Wednesday prayer meeting 6:30pm. Rt. 5, S. Andover. 392-1121.

BETHEL

Bethel Alliance Church- Rev. Kevin Belling. Sundays: Sunday School for adults and children at 9am; Morning worship service at 10am; Kidz Klub (4 yrs-5th grade) at 5:30pm; Prayer fellowship Wednesdays at 7pm; Thursdays: Youth Group (6th-12th grade) at 6:30pm. For more information call 824-2289

Church of the Nazarene - Pastor Chuck Mason, 9:30 a.m. Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. morning worship, Wednesday evening service in different locations. Call for info. 824-4028 (voice mail) or 824-7289 FMI.

West Parish Congregational - Rev. Virginia Rickeman. 10 a.m. worship, child care available. Prayer, Tuesday, 8 a.m. FMI call 824-0550.

Our Lady of the Snows- Saturday mass at 6 p.m. Rev. Angelo Levesque. 864-4556. United Methodist - Geoffrey Gross, Pastor. 10:30 a.m. Sunday worship. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.

West Bethel Union - Morning worship and 9 a.m. Sunday School. For information, call 836-5533 or 836-2882. Rev. Earl H. Bell.

Pleasant Valley Bible - Pastor Aaron McNally. Sunday Services: Sunday School, 9am, all ages; Morning Worship 10am. Junior church and nursery available. Mens bible study Monday at 6pm; Ladies bible study Tuesday 2:30pm; prayer meeting Tuesday 6pm; Awana Youth Program Wednesdays: 3:30pm Cubbies (age 3-4); 3:30pm Sparks (K-2nd grade); 6:15pm Truth & Training (grade 3-6) FMI 836-3006 or 824-2037.

Episcopal House Church - Holy communion service the third or fourth Sunday of every month at 4 p.m. at 38 Chapman Street. For further information, call the Reverend Gwyneth Bohr at 824-2813.

Church of Christ - at home of Keith Hamel, minister, 507 Walker's Mills Road (Route 26), Bethel. Worship at 9 a.m. Sunday. 824-3577 FMI.

Seventh Day Adventist Fellowship: Meets at the Nazarene Church on Saturdays, on Church Street in Bethel. For more info, call 824-8939.

EAST STONEHAM

Oxford County United Parish - North Waterford Congregational Church & Stoneham Congregational Church. Sunday worship services 10 a.m. at Stoneham Congregational Church, Main Street (Route 5). Adult church school Mondays 7:30pm at Marjorie Kimball's home (Sawin Hill Rd, North Waterford). Church School (up to grade 4) after school on

Tuesdays at the Stoneham Town Office/Fire Station (off Main Street/Route 5) Rev. George Froberg, 693-6461.

GORHAM, NH

Assembly of God - Pastor Paul Levigen. Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Sunday service 10:30 a.m., Sunday evening service 7 p.m., Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.. FMI 603-466-2851.

Gorham Congregational Church - Interim minister Rev. Kent Schneider. Sunday morning worship and church school at 10:30am. Communion is celebrated the first Sunday of each month. FMI 603-466-2136.

HARRISON

Bolster's Mills United Methodist Church - Bolster's Mills Road, Harrison. Rev. Walter R. Brown, Pastor. Sunday worship at 8:45 a.m., Church school 10:15 a.m. for kids kindergarten - grade 12. Call 883-9024 or 998-7040 for more info.

LOCKE MILLS

Locke Mills Union - Rev. Frank Haines. Sunday morning service will begin at 9 a.m. Bible study at the church is every Tuesday at 6:30pm. Everyone is welcome.

MEXICO

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints- 265 Main Street. Worship service Sundays at 10am. Pres. Peter Beeckel. 364-6881.

NEWRY

Sunday River Christian Ministry - Weddings, Baptisms, Funerals, etc. held in mountain settings, riverside, or your choice by Reverend Don Coverdale. Cell phone: 781-710-8086. On-mountain interdenominational worship services: first will be in October of 2007.

NORWAY/PARIS

First Church of Christ, Scientist - Sunday service 10 a.m., Wed. Testimony service 7:30 p.m. 5 Morrill Rd/Rt. 118 (catercorner to Norway Country Club), Norway. Call 824-4099 FMI or ride.

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church - Route 117N, S. Paris. Pastor Henry Male. Sunday morning service 10:15 a.m. with coffee fellowship immediately after. Sunday School at 9 a.m.

North Paris Federation- Morse Hill Road, North Paris. Sunday Service 8 a.m.. Pastor Bruce Tyner. 674-2968. Singersperation third Sunday each month alternating with West Paris Baptist Church at 7 p.m..

Oxford Hills Friends (Quakers) - Sunday worship 9:30 a.m. at HOPE Ripley Center, High Street, S. Paris across the park from the Post Office. Call Ursula Brandon at 665-2880 or Sue Kelly at 966-2012 for more information.

Christ Episcopal Church - 35 Paris St., Sunday Services at 8 and 10 a.m.; Sunday School at 10 a.m. Informal worship at 5 p.m. Sundays. Healing service with communion 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday. Rev. Anne Stanley. Call 743-6782 for more information.

First Baptist Church of Paris - On the Common at the top of Paris Hill. 10:30 am worship service. Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. Coffee hour follows the service. Fellowship

lunch held the first Sunday of each month following worship. Pastor Ron Blake.

St. Catherine's: Saturday 6 p.m. Vigile Mass; Sunday 8:30 a.m. Mass. Unitarian Universalist Church of Norway - 11am worship. (Sept - June) Child care is provided. Religious education classes 11am-12:15pm. FMI 743-2828.

OXFORD

St. Mary's - Saturday 4 p.m. Vigile Mass. Our Lady of Ransom: Sunday 10:30 a.m. Mass.

RUMFORD

St. Barnabas Episcopal Church - Holy Communion, 9:30 a.m. Rev. Tim Parsons, Priest-in-charge. Special holidays will be announced. Stone church at the rectory.

RUMFORD CENTER

Praise Assembly of God - Pastor Justin Thacker. Adult and teen Sunday school 9am. Sunday worship service at 10am. Sunday prayer meeting at 6pm. Wednesday night bible study and youth group 7pm. 170 Andover Road. FMI call 364-3836 or see our website at <http://www.forministry.com/usmeagood-paogr/>

RUMFORD POINT

Rumford Point Church - Sunday service, Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Pastor Frank Haines.

SUMNER

East Sumner Congregational- Linda Kimball, pastor. Sunday service, 9 a.m.

WEST PARIS

Unitarian Universalist Church of West Paris - 9 a.m. worship. 674-2665. West Paris Baptist - Sunday Worship 9:15 a.m., Bruce Tyner, Pastor. Sunday School Preschool thru kindergarten 9:45am, Sunday School Grades 1-6, 10:25am. Sunday evening worship 7:00 p.m.; Monday Diaconette meeting first Monday of the month; Tuesday ladies fellowship meets the fourth Tuesday of every month. Tea & Toys Time Bi-Weekly 9:30-11:30am. Adult Choir Wednesday evenings, Wednesday Bible Study and Prayer 7pm, church business meetings the third Wednesday of the month.

West Paris Congregational Church - Linda Kimball, pastor. Sunday Worship 11 a.m.; Sunday School 10 a.m.

WOODSTOCK

Bryant Pond Baptist - Pastor Lawrence Hodgkins, Sundays: Sunday School 9:15 a.m.; Adult Bible Fellowship 9:15 a.m.; Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.; Evening Service 6:00 p.m.; Wednesdays: Kid's hour 6:30 p.m.; Prayer meeting & bible study 6:30 p.m.

Woodstock Seventh day Adventist - Pastor Richard Wright (207-797-9678), Saturday: 9:20 a.m. Sabbath school. 11 a.m. worship service.

Pinhook Meeting House (Rt. 232, North Woodstock) - Hymn Sing, last Friday of each month, 7 p.m. All welcome.

Mahoosuc Mountain Friends - a worship group meeting in the unprogrammed tradition of Friends (Quakers) - Sundays, 9:30 a.m. at the Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond. Newcomers welcome. Call Dick Stratton at 824-8669 FMI.

Library Hours

Andover Library: Tuesday, Wednesday, and Saturday 1-4:30pm; Thursday 1-4:30 & 6-8 pm. Tel: 392-4841

Bethel Library:

CABLE LINE-UP

2 PEG - Public Access	13 CBS - WGME	24 Fox Sports Net	35 Fox News	47 USA	57 Travel Channel	66 ABC Family
3 UPN - WPME	14 QVC	25 ESPN	36 CNN Cable News Network	48 TBS	58 EWTN - Eternal Word Television Network	67 Nickelodeon
4 FOX - WFPO	15 Home Shopping Network	26 ESPN 2	37 Headline News	49 Oxygen	59 Hallmark	68 Disney Channel
5 Local Access	16 PEG - Educational	27 Great American Country	39 CNBC	50 A&E - Arts & Entertainment	60 TBN - Trinity Broadcast Network	69 Animal Planet
6 NBC - WCSH	17 Shop NBC	28 MTV - Music Television	40 MSN8C	51 AMC - American Movie Classics	61 The History Channel	70 Sci-Fi Channel
7 PEG - Educational	18 TV Guide Channel	29 VH1	41 Court TV	52 Ovation - Fine Arts TV	62 TLC - The Learning Channel	71 TV5 - French Television
8 ABC - WMTW	19 C-Span	30 Lifetime - TV for Women	42 TCM - Turner Classic Movies	53 Bravo	63 Discovery Channel	72 PIN
9 ADELPHIA 9	20 C-Span 2	31 Spike TV - TV for Men	43 Movie Plex	54 E!	64 TV Land	73 Inspirational TV Network
10 MPBN - WCBB	21 PAX TV	32 Country Music Television	44 TNT - Turner Network TV	55 HGTV - Home & Garden	65 BET - Black Entertainment TV	74 Cartoon Network
11 PBS - WENH	23 NESN - New England Sports Net	33 Weather Channel	45 Comedy Central	56 Food Network		
12 WB - WPXT		34 NECN - NE Cable News	46 FX Network			

THURSDAY EVENING OCTOBER 11, 2007

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dr. Phil			News	Jeopardy!	Frasier	Frasier	Cheers	South Park
(32) Movie: "The Count of Monte Cristo"							Funniest Home Videos		The 700 Club	
6 207	Inside	Name Earl	30 Rock		The Office		ER		News	
8 Fortune	Jeopardy!	Ugly Betty			Grey's Anatomy		Big Shots		News	
10 News-Lehrer		Hometown Economics			Music of Andrew		Austin City Limits		Charlie Rose	
(22) SportsCtr.	College Football: Florida State at Wake Forest						SportsCenter			
(34) CSI: Crime Scn	CSI: Crime Scn				TNA IMPACT!				The Ultimate Fighter	
19 Entertain	The Insider	Survivor: China			CSI: Crime Scn		Without a Trace		News	
(41) Sports	Tailgate	Fantasy Fix	Foot Now		Best Damn 50		Sports	Sports	Best Damn 50	
(15) "School Ties" Cont'd		Inside the NFL			Movie: "American Beauty"				Real Sex	
(17) Montana	Suite Life	Movie: "Twiches"			So Raven		So Raven	Life Derek	Suite Life	Montana
(18) Movie: "Domino" Cont'd		Movie: "Practical Magic"					Movie: "Mr. & Mrs. Smith"			
(20) To Be Announced		Walk Off Sox					SportsDesk	The Globe	SportsDesk	Red Sox
(44) Still Snd	Still Snd	Reba	Reba		Movie: "Pretty Woman"				Will-Grace	
(5) Raymond	MLB	MLB Baseball: National League Championship Series Game 1 -- Teams TBA							Inside MLB	
(24) Zoey 101	School	Drake	Drake		Fresh Pr.	Home Imp.	Lopez	Lopez	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.
(25) Movie: "A Few Good Men"							Mad Men		Mad Men	
(26) Law Order: CI		Law & Order: SVU			Law & Order: SVU		Law Order: CI		Law Order: CI	
(27) CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami			The First 48		Kansas City SWAT		Miami City Vice	
(12) Funniest Home Videos		Movie: "Turbulence 2 Fear of Flying"					WGN News at Nine		Scrubs	Scrubs
(39) The Situation Room		Out in the Open			Larry King Live		Anderson Cooper 360			

MONDAY EVENING OCTOBER 15, 2007

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dr. Phil			News	Jeopardy!	Frasier	Frasier	Cheers	South Park
(32) Grounded	Grounded	Movie: "A Cinderella Story"					Funniest Home Videos		The 700 Club	
6 207	Inside	Chuck			Heroes		Journeymen		News	
8 Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dancing With the Stars			Samantha		The Bachelor		News	
10 News-Lehrer		Antiques Roadshow			The Mysterious Human Heart				Charlie Rose	
(22) Monday Night Countdown		NFL Football: New York Giants at Atlanta Falcons							SportsCtr.	
(34) CSI: Crime Scn	CSI: Crime Scn				Movie: "Next of Kin"					
19 Entertain	The Insider	How I Met	Big Bang				Two Men	Rules	CSI: Miami	News
(41) Sports	In Focus	Rodeo: Pro Tour			Hooters Pageant		Sports	Sports	Hooters Pageant	
(15) "The Break-Up" Cont'd		Real Time			Curb	Five Days			Tell Me You Love Me	DL
(17) Montana	Suite Life	Movie: "The Haunted Mansion"			So Raven		So Raven	Life Derek	Suite Life	Montana
(18) "Child's Play 3" Cont'd		Movie: "Children of Men"							Movie: "The Hills Have Eyes"	
(20) Outdoors	Outdoors	Outdoors	Outdoors		Outdoors	Outdoors			SportsDesk	Outdoors
(44) Still Snd	Still Snd	Reba	Reba		Movie: "Break-In"				Will-Grace	Will-Grace
(5) Raymond	MLB	MLB Baseball: National League Championship Series Game 4 -- Teams TBA							Inside MLB	
(24) School	Drake	SpongeBob	Drake		Home Imp.	Home Imp.	Lopez	Lopez	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.
(25) "Jurassic Park" Cont'd		Movie: "Catwoman"							Movie: "Gothika"	
(26) Law Order: CI		Law & Order: SVU			WWE Monday Night Raw				Dr. Steve-O	
(27) CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami			CSI: Miami		The First 48		The First 48	
(12) Funniest Home Videos		America's Funniest			America's Funniest		WGN News at Nine		Scrubs	Scrubs
(39) The Situation Room		Out in the Open			Larry King Live		Anderson Cooper 360			

FRIDAY EVENING OCTOBER 12, 2007

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dr. Phil			News	Jeopardy!	Frasier	Frasier	Cheers	South Park
(32) Grounded	Grounded	Movie: "Steel Magnolias"					Funniest Home Videos		The 700 Club	
6 207	Inside	Deal or No Deal			Friday Night Lights		Las Vegas		News	
8 Fortune	Jeopardy!	20/20			Women's Murder Club		Men in Trees		News	
10 News-Lehrer		Wash Wk	Maine		McLaughlin	Fields	Wait God	Neighbors	My Family	MontyPyth
(22) SportsCtr.	Football	College Football: Hawaii at San Jose State							SportsCenter	
(34) CSI: Crime Scn	CSI: Crime Scn	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation			Movie: "Pale Rider"					
19 Entertain	The Insider	Ghost Whisperer			Moonlight		NUMB3RS		News	
(41) Sports	Tailgate	Fantasy Fix	Foot Now		Best Damn Sports Show		Sports	Sports	Football Prev.	
(15) Inside the NFL		Movie: "The Wicker Man"			Heart		Curb	Curb	Real Time	
(17) Montana	Montana	Movie: "Twiches Too"			Wizards		Montana	Montana	Suite Life	Montana
(18) Walk Line		Movie: "Parenthood"							Movie: "The Devil Wears Prada"	
(20) Bruins Classics	Bruins Classics				Biscuit		Biscuit		NHL Hockey: Bruins at Kings	
(44) Movie: "Pretty Woman" Cont'd					Lisa Williams		Amer. Psychic Challenge		Blood Ties	
(5) Baseball	Inside MLB	Family Guy	Family Guy		Family Guy	Family Guy	Raymond		Movie: "Miss Congeniality"	
(24) Zoey 101	School	Tak, Power	Avatar		El Tigre	Barnyard	Fresh Pr.	Lopez	Home Imp.	Home Imp.
(25) "Young Guns II" Cont'd		Movie: "Fletch"							Movie: "Young Frankenstein"	
(26) Law Order: CI		Law & Order: SVU			Monk		Law Order: CI		House	
(27) CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami			Movie: "Forrest Gump"					
(12) Funniest Home Videos		Movie: "Turbulence 3: Heavy Metal"					WGN News at Nine		Scrubs	Scrubs
(39) The Situation Room		Out in the Open			Larry King Live		Anderson Cooper 360			

TUESDAY EVENING OCTOBER 16, 2007

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dr. Phil			News	Jeopardy!	Frasier	Frasier	Cheers	South Park
(32) Grounded	Grounded	Lincoln Heights					Funniest Home Videos		The 700 Club	
6 207	Inside	Singing Bee			The Biggest Loser		Law & Order: SVU		News	
8 Fortune	Jeopardy!	Cavemen	Carpoolers		Dancing With the Stars		Boston Legal		News	
10 News-Lehrer		Nova			Frontline		Independent Lens		C. Rose	
(22) E:60		Series of Poker			Series of Poker		The Contender		SportsCenter	
(34) CSI: Crime Scn	CSI: Crime Scn				CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		UFC 77 Countdown	
19 Entertain	The Insider	NCIS			The Unit		Cane		News	
(41) Sports	Knockouts	Sport Science			Best Damn Sports Show		Sports	Sports	Best Damn Sports Show	
(15) Five Days		Five Days			Borat: Cultural Learnings of America		Tell Me You Love Me		Tell Me You	
(17) Montana	Suite Life	Movie: "Casper Meets Wendy"					So Raven	Life Derek	Suite Life	Montana
(18) Fight Club		Movie: "Flags of Our Fathers"							Movie: "There's Something About Mary"	
(20) College Football: Princeton at Brown					Celebrity Shootout		SportsDesk	The Globe	SportsDesk	Sox Appeal
(44) Still Snd	Still Snd	Reba	Reba		Lisa Williams		Amer. Psychic Challenge		Will-Grace	Will-Grace
(5) Raymond	Raymond	Family Guy	Family Guy		Family Guy	Family Guy	The Office	The Office	Payne	Payne
(24) School	Drake	SpongeBob	Drake		Home Imp.	Home Imp.	Lopez	Lopez	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.
(25) "Catwoman" Cont'd		Movie: "The Last of the Mohicans"							Movie: "High Plains Drifter"	
(26) Law Order: CI		Law & Order: SVU			Law & Order: SVU		Movie: "Face Off"			
(27) CSI: Miami		Dog the Bounty Hunter			Dog	Dog	Cross Angel	Cross Angel	Cross Angel	Cross Angel
(12) Funniest Home Videos		Funniest	Funniest		Funniest	Funniest	WGN News at Nine		Scrubs	Scrubs
(39) The Situation Room		Out in the Open			Larry King Live		Anderson Cooper 360			

SATURDAY EVENING OCTOBER 13, 2007

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Fortune	MLS Soccer: Crew at Revolution				Jeopardy!		Patrols	Uncscne	CSI: Miami	
(32) Movie: "Mrs. Doubtfire"							Movie: "Bring It On"			
6 Maine	207	TBA	TBA		TBA		Law & Order: SVU		News	Sat. Night
8 Countdown	NASCAR Racing: Nextel Cup -- Bank of America 500								News	
10 Hometown Economics	Windsor Castle				Riding Rails in China		NOW		Red Green	Red Green
(22) Scoreboard	College Football: Auburn at Arkansas								SportsCenter	
(34) Movie: "U.S. Marshals"							The Ultimate Fighter		TNA Road	TNA
19 News	MDTV	Cold Case			CSI: Miami		48 Hours Mystery		News	Ent. Tonight
(41) College Football: Missouri at Oklahoma							College Football: Washington at Arizona State			
(15) Star Wars: The Phantom Menace					Borat: Cultural Learnings of America		Jim Norton: Monster Rain		Boxing: Diaz vs. Diaz	
(17) Suite Life	Suite Life	Movie: "Twiches Too"			Suite Life		Suite Life	Suite Life	Suite Life	Montana
(18) "X-Men: The Last Stand"		Movie: "The Professional"					Movie: "Children of Men"			
(20) Hockey	Bruins Classics				Bruins Classics		The Buzz		NHL Hockey: Bruins at Sharks	
(44) Movie: "Haunting Sarah"					Movie: "The Gathering"				Grey's Anatomy	
(5) King	Seinfeld	Movie: "Miss Congeniality"					Movie: "A Time to Kill"			
(24) OddParents	SpongeBob	Zoey 101: Cur.			Naked	Drake	Fresh Pr.	Home Imp.	Lopez	Lopez
(25) "Young Guns II" Cont'd		Movie: "The Natural"							Movie: "Field of Dreams"	
(26) "American Wedding"		Law & Order: SVU			Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law Order: CI	
(27) Sell House	Sell House	Flip This House			Simmons	Simmons	Dog		Dog	
(12) Funniest	Funniest	Movie: "The 13th Warrior"					WGN News at Nine		Scrubs	Reno 911!
(39) This Week at War		Special Investigations			Larry King Live		Newsroom		Special Investigations	

WEDNESDAY EVENING OCTOBER 17, 2007

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dr. Phil			News	Jeopardy!	Frasier	Frasier	Cheers	South Park
(32) Bring It On: All or Nothing		Movie: "Bring It On: All or Nothing"					Funniest Home Videos		The 700 Club	
6 207	Inside	Deal or No Deal			Bionic Woman		Life		News	
8 Fortune	Jeopardy!	Pushing Daisies			Private Practice		Dirty Sexy Money		News	
10 News-Lehrer		Wired Science			The War				Charlie Rose	
(22) SportsCtr.	NFL Live	The Contender			Boxing		Boxing		SportsCenter	
(34) CSI: Crime Scn	CSI: Crime Scn				UFC Unleashed		The Ultimate Fighter		MANswers	MANswers
19 Entertain	The Insider	Kid Nation			Criminal Minds		CSI: NY		News	
(41) Celtics Pre.	NBA Preseason Basketball: New York Knicks at Boston Celtics				Celtics		Celtics		Sports	Final Score
(15) Movie: "In Her Shoes" Cont'd					Five Days		Inside the NFL		Real Time	
(17) Montana	Suite Life	Movie: "Twiches Too"			So Raven		So Raven	Life Derek	Suite Life	Montana
(18) "Grandma's Boy" Cont'd		Movie: "Tango & Cash"					Movie: "Children of Men"			
(20) NHL Hockey		NHL Hockey: Boston Bruins at Anaheim Ducks					SportsDesk	The Globe	SportsDesk	Sox Appeal
(44) Still Snd	Still Snd	Reba	Reba		Movie: "The Last Trimester"				Will-Grace	Will-Grace
(5) Raymond	MLB	MLB Baseball: National League Championship Series Game 5 -- Teams TBA							Inside MLB	
(24) School	Drake	SpongeBob	Drake		Home Imp.	Home Imp.	Lopez	Lopez	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.
(25) The Last of the Mohicans		Movie: "Mad Max Beyond Thunderdome"					Movie: "Waterworld"			
(26) Law Order: CI		Law & Order: SVU			Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law Order: CI	
(27) CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami			CSI: Miami		The Sopranos		The First 48	
(12) Funniest Home Videos		Comer Gas	Comer Gas		Becker	Becker	WGN News at Nine		Scrubs	Scrubs
(39) The Situation Room		Out in the Open			Larry King Live		Anderson Cooper 360			

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	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Patriots 5th Quarter	CSI: Miami			70s Show	70s Show	Red Sox	Red Sox	Without a Trace	
(32)	"Grease"	Movie: "Grease"					Movie: "A Cinderella Story"			
6	Football Night in America	NFL Football: New Orleans Saints at Seattle Seahawks								News
8	Funniest Home Videos	Extreme-Home	Desperate Housewives			Brothers & Sisters		News	Cold Case	
10	Business	Bill Moyers	Nature	Mystery!			Short List		Charlie Rose	
(22)	SportsCenter	College Football: Nevada at Boise State				SportsCenter				
(34)	CSI: Crime Scn	CSI: Crime Scn			CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn	
13	Football	60 Minutes			Cold Case		Shark		News	Crossroads
(41)	Golf: Shoot-Out	Sport Science			Sport Science		Final Score	BCS Show	Track	Poker
(15)	"The Family Stone"	The Sopranos			Tell Me You Love Me		Curb		Movie: "Blood Diamond"	
(17)	Cory	Cory	Movie: "Twitches Too"			So Raven	So Raven	Life Derek	Suite Life	Montana
(18)	Sunshine	Movie: "Die Hard"						Movie: "Lethal Weapon 4"		
(20)	Red Sox	The Buzz	Outdoors	Outdoors	Red Sox Report		Red Sox Classics		SportsDesk	
(44)	Movie: "The Gathering"				Movie: "The Gathering"				Medium	
(5)	Walking	MLB	MLB Baseball: National League Championship Series Game 3 -- Teams TBA					Inside MLB		
(24)	Just Jordan	iCarly	Zoey 101			Fresh Pr.	Home Imp	Lopez	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.
(25)	"The Natural" Cont'd		Movie: "Jurassic Park"					Movie: "Dante's Peak"		
(26)	Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU			Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		
(27)	Cold Case Files		The First 48			The First 48		The Sopranos		
(12)	Funnest	Funnest	American Idol Rewind			Shocking Moments		WGN News		Replay
(39)	Newsroom		Special Investigations			Larry King Live		Newsroom		Special Investigations

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The Bethel Board of Selectmen is accepting applications for volunteers to serve on the Ad-Hoc Skate Park Committee. This committee would consist of five members.

Applications must be submitted to the Town Office by noon Friday, October 12, 2007.

Interested persons may call the Town Office at 824-2669 or email info@bethelmaine.org for further information.

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The Appeals Board is looking for an individual to fill an unexpired term until December 31, 2007.

Applications must be submitted to the Town Office by noon Friday, October 12, 2007.

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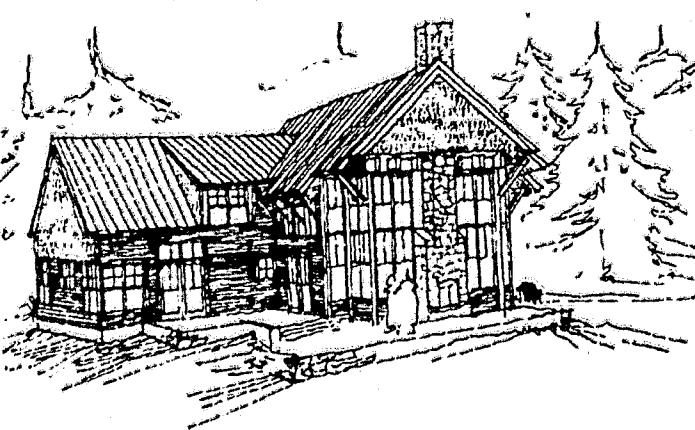
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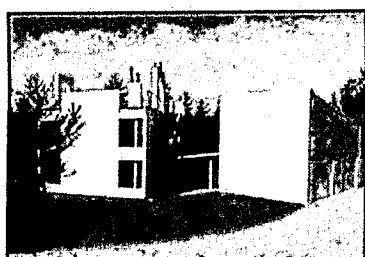
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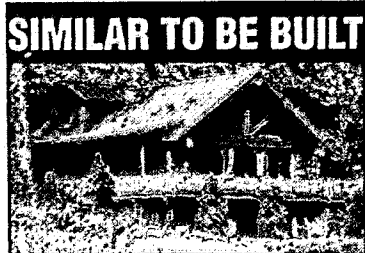
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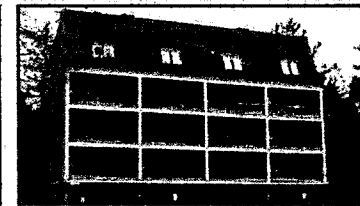
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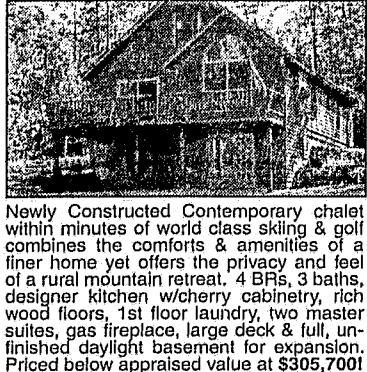
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		75 Acres.....	\$119,900
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4.5 Acres.....	\$52,000	Fall Line - S214.....	\$138,000

NEW LISTING!



Newly Constructed Contemporary chalet within minutes of world class skiing & golf combines the comforts & amenities of a finer home yet offers the privacy and feel of a rural mountain retreat. 4 BRs, 3 baths, designer kitchen w/ cherry cabinetry, rich wood floors, 1st floor laundry, two master suites, gas fireplace, large deck & full, unfinished daylight basement for expansion. Priced below appraised value at \$305,700!



Wonderful real log cabin within walking distance of Bethel Village is situated on a landscaped parcel with perennials and private pond for swimming, fishing and the occasional small boat ride. An open floor plan offers a huge great room showcasing a custom stone fireplace, and a large second floor master with unique spiral stairwell. 2 Car garage, equipment or garden shed, greenhouse and direct access to snowmobile and ATV trails as well as cross country skiing is a bonus! \$159,900



Wonderful camp situated on a private 1 1/2 acre lot boasting 495 feet of owned frontage on the pristine Bear River is an outdoor enthusiast's dream! Electricity and telephone, monitor heater and woodstove, kitchen with water pumped from river, outdoor shower, and a custom built fishing rig in your front yard. Snowmobile from your door. Wouldn't take much to make this your coveted year round retreat! \$119,900



Only 10 minutes to Sunday River and walking distance to Bethel Village, find this charming New Englander with recent renovations. Spacious living/dining area, new kitchen, first floor laundry, 4 BRs, original wood floors, 2 baths, large yard, 2 car garage with summer kitchen which could be converted to finished living space, a customized ski storage area, hot tub room, sauna, or one of many other endless possibilities! \$194,000



Prime frontage on Route 2 for your next investment adventure!! Spacious 4 Bedroom house with huge attached garage with overhead storage and outbuildings filled with years of antiques and collectibles awaiting the income potential! Sale includes furniture, genuine nickel plated stove, paintings, periodicals, trinkets and so much more.... too many items to list. A great opportunity for the entrepreneur or Ebayer!! Don't Miss This \$225,000!!



Off a quiet road in a peaceful setting, find this lovely maintained 3 BR saltbox chalet on a 2.55+-acre parcel consisting of bird filled woods, lush green lawn and beautiful perennial gardens. You'll marvel at all this home has to offer with its large, open living spaces, wonderful eat-in kitchen, new dining area, rear patio/deck, daylight walkout basement and detached 2 car garage. Only 15 minutes to Bethel or Norway. \$179,900

PRICE REDUCED



Location, Location!! Brand new log sided cape with town water & sewer is walking distance to all town amenities, the Bethel Inn and Gould Academy, and less than 10 mins to world class skiing & golf at Sunday River. Spacious open concept floor plan with eat-in kitchen, adjoining dining area, large living room, 3 BRs, 2 full baths, wonderful hardwood floors, large sun-filled windows & beautiful pine trim throughout. What A Steal At \$264,900



Situated on a quiet road across from Songo Pond, find this charming cottage nestled in the Pines. Spend lazy days soaking up the sun or relaxing in the wonderful screened porch and enjoy the warm summer breeze, evening sunsets and the sounds of the loons. Recent updates, excellent access to boating, swimming and fishing and boasting a gorgeous view of the pond. You don't want to miss this! \$159,900



Newly constructed, charming country cape located within minutes of Bethel Village amenities, Championship Golf, World Class Skiing and recreation on nearby Songo Pond. Private home offers three spacious bedrooms, two full baths, large kitchen with ample cabinetry, sunny dining area and cozy living room. The full unfinished basement is a great place for all your storage needs or convert to additional living space. \$229,000



Meticulously maintained ranch on a private 2.89+- acre offering beautiful river views and 200 feet of owned frontage on the Androscoggin. Constructed in 2003, this home showcases gleaming wood floors, quality tile, custom kitchen w/ center island & adjoining dining area and large LR w/ fireplace and 6 oversized transom windows. 3 BRs, 2 full baths, entryway, 3 season porch and huge unfinished basement under this "must be seen to appreciate" property. \$299,900



Well maintained 4 BR, 2 1/2 Bath Rumford Center Cape, situated on a nice lot, has much to offer with a convenient location, recent improvements and scenic views. Comprised of over 1,900 square feet of finished living space, the home features a large kitchen, large dining room, large living room with fireplace, first floor bedroom, wonderful three season porch, 3 second floor BRs and attached one car garage. \$159,900



Atop the banks of the Androscoggin on 25+- private acres with beautiful mountain & river views find this unique 3BR ranch style dwelling which has been specially constructed to ensure easy expansion of a 2nd level. Walk, bike, snowshoe, snowmobile, cross country ski & more along your own interwined trail network, sure to please any outdoor enthusiast. So close to Bethel Village & only 10 minutes to Sunday River! \$275,000

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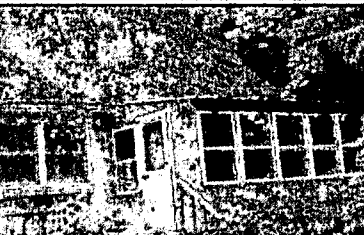
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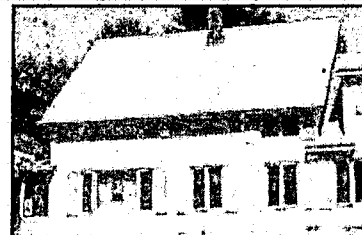
REDUCED!
West Woods, West Bethel: "Get away from it all" on this quiet, beautifully wooded 5+ acre parcel just three miles from downtown Bethel. New 3BR, 2 full bath home comes complete with furnishings, so move right in! Nice kitchen, pine walls & ceilings, cathedral ceilings, fine view woodstove and covered front porch. Some interior finish work is needed to make it your very own. Androscoggin River public boat ramp is close-by and Sunday River Resort is only 9 miles away. \$194,500



REDUCED!
Indian Pond, Greenwood: Imagine 100' of pretty waterfront tucked away on the back shore of Indian Pond and a wintered 3BR home for four season enjoyment! Open concept kitchen, dining & living room w/ hardwood floor & cathedral ceilings, lots of cozy knotty pine, intriguing details and touches throughout. Come sit on the enclosed porch overlooking the pond or near the dock at the water's edge. Most furnishings included in sale! \$379,000



REDUCED!
Intervalle Rd., Bethel: Beautiful New England farm-style house in a Bethel location that just can't be beat! Countryside setting, not too far from the River, yet only one short mile from downtown Bethel restaurants & shopping! Sunday River Resort is only 10 minutes away. 4BR's, 2 baths, restored wood floors throughout, separate dining room, enclosed front porch, 2-car garage, new grounds & back yard. Good rental history makes this a fantastic buy. \$179,000



REDUCED!
Flaherty Lane, Greenwood: Just completed! Stylish primary or seasonal new home that's 3 short miles from everything that downtown Bethel has to offer & just minutes from Sunday River Resort. Floors are gorgeous wood and tile, gas fireplace, open great room concept, new stainless appliances, kitchen w/ bar, 3BR's, 2 baths, mudroom, nice large backyard, front deck and more! This location is only nine miles from resort skiing and championship golf. \$229,000



REDUCED!
Twitcheil Brook, Greenwood: Year round camp w/ central heating, in a beautiful wooded setting with swift moving brook! He surrounded by nature and away from civilization yet still quickly accessible to town. How can you ask for more? 300 feet of frontage on Twitcheil Brook complete with a bridge to the other side! Perfect for hunting or just relaxing by the lake. Large brook. This property is everything that you want in a Maine four seasons camp! \$139,000



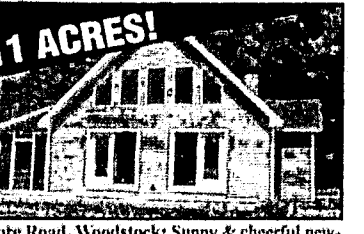
REDUCED!
Bryant Pond, Greenwood: 1.5 Acre's! Tastefully decorated & well maintained 3 season ranch on beautiful 100' frontage and 400' wide state wooded acre. Walk to Indian Pond & find your boat at the Lake! Twitcheil Brook is just nearby! You'll love the home's location overlooking the lake, back and the front deck overlooking the lake. Back and the front deck overlooking the lake. Back and the front deck overlooking the lake. Back and the front deck overlooking the lake. \$199,900



REDUCED!
Off Richardson Hollow Rd., Greenwood: Spectacular mountain views, no restrictions & no covenants on this beautiful, high 14 acre remote spot complete with small, mobile home camp. Good summertime picnic access & snowmobile in during the winter months! Fantastic hunting camp location with abundant wildlife. Come to see the panoramic, gorgeous views and you will be sold. Trailer is being offered "as is". \$49,500



REDUCED!
Schoolhouse Rd., Greenwood: Amazing schoolhouse remodeled into an adorable 1BR home w/ sunroom, detached garage, 2 decks, beautiful stucco & perennials all on one lot with possibilities for expansion! Perfect for back or year round living! Close to lakes and White Mt., only 5 min to Mt. Abram Ski Area and 25 min to Sunday River Resort! Located near Hicks Pond. All trails, snowmobile, lake, scenic views, ski area, cross country skiing, & water sports are nearby. Move in for great at Fairweather Inn! \$125,000



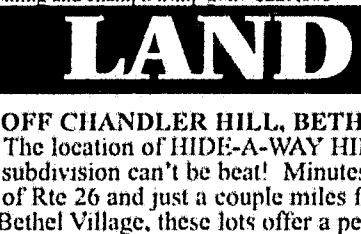
REDUCED!
Gore Road, Woodstock: Sunny & cheerful new 3BR, 2 bath home with a serene & pretty 11+ acre setting, complete with rolling fields & nice ridge views. Expansive south-facing windows, 4th screened porch, cathedral ceilings, country kitchen w/ island, master suite w/ jetted tub, lots of storage, mudroom entry, deck, perennial gardens & much more. Multiple lakes nearby & only 5 min to Mt. Abram or 15 min to Sunday River. Plenty of open space for winter country skiing & snowmobiling right from your door! \$334,900



REDUCED!
Farmers Hill Rd., Andover: Words describing this camp are: adorable, meticulously maintained, neat as a pin, homey, country kitchen, comfortable & relaxing. Well & septic on site, nice grassy back yard, concrete foundation, new windows, brick hearth w/ woodstove, clawfoot tub w/ shower, screened porch and FURNISHED! Almost 2 acres with an additional 5 acres available. This one sparkles and you MUST see it to appreciate the value. \$125,000



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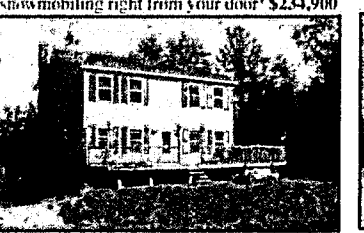
REDUCED!
Summit Hill, Bryant Pond: A rare listing for a desirable 2 acre building lot on Summit Hill! This is a great neighborhood of fine homes and the next one could be yours. Access to snowmobile trails, within walking distance to town, and there's quick access to the main road with lakes and ski areas only a few minutes away. Possible owner financing! \$54,900



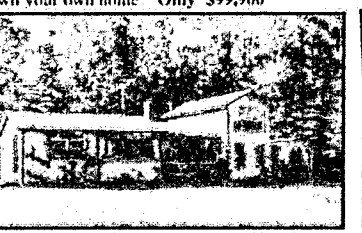
REDUCED!
Birch Road Condo, Mt. Abram Skiway: Rare offering. A one bedroom FURNISHED, ground floor condo located in Building "A" at Mt. Abram Skiway village! With views of the mountain & slopes, and a cozy woodstove to warm you by a day of skiing, you can't go wrong with this investment. Why rent for the ski season when you can own? This is a full ownership offering. NOT a quarter share or times share! Call today as this opportunity won't last long! \$89,900



REDUCED!
Birch Woods, Bethel: Gorgeous woodstove & 4 season quality of construction & superior materials throughout. Builders own home, w/ custom touches, light wood & custom tile floors, granite countertops, hardwood floors, 3 bedrooms, 2 full baths, 2nd floor master suite w/ walk-in closet, 4th floor master suite w/ walk-in closet, 4th floor master suite w/ walk-in closet, 4th floor master suite w/ walk-in closet. \$169,900



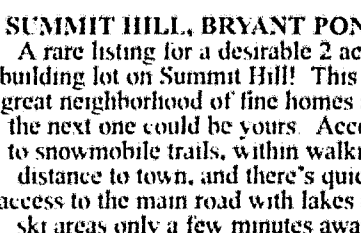
REDUCED!
Emerson Road, Norway: This new 3BR, 2 1/2 bath colonial home is on a quiet, rural road and road yet convenient to downtown shopping & restaurants. Wonderful spacious 1900 sq ft floorplan including a beautiful living room fireplace, spacious kitchen, master suite w/ walk-in closet, 4th floor master suite w/ walk-in closet, 4th floor master suite w/ walk-in closet, 4th floor master suite w/ walk-in closet. \$220,000



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OUR LOG HOME LISTINGS FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION:



East Bethel Rd., Greenwood: This well located 2BR log cabin ranch has undergone updates & upgrades and is ready to be your primary or recreational home in the heart of 14 and like country. It's located within walking distance to the village bakery, post office, variety store, lake, and boat launch and only 5 minutes from Mt. Abram Skiway and 20 minutes from Sunday River Resort! New carpet, new carpet, new carpet, new carpet, new carpet, new carpet. \$115,000



Near Westside Lodge, Mt. Abram, Greenwood: Within walking distance of Mt. Abram's Westside Lodge, this brand new log which features a perfect place for all winter sports, spring skiing, summer lake activities just down the road and 100' lake, this lodge. Large deck for entertaining, stone fireplace, 3 bedrooms, 2 full baths, sunny & open rooms and a walkout basement to the wooded back yard. Call and ask for a showing today. \$249,900



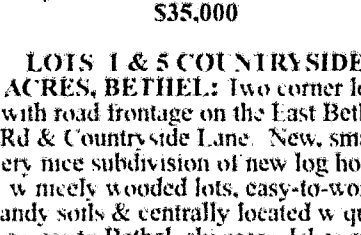
Chandler Hill, Bethel: Enjoy peace tranquility & solitude on this 2 1/2 acre wooded setting of this amazing log home. 3 BR log home, 2 full baths, 2nd floor master suite w/ walk-in closet, 4th floor master suite w/ walk-in closet, 4th floor master suite w/ walk-in closet, 4th floor master suite w/ walk-in closet. \$229,900



Flaherty Lane, Off Bethel's Vernon St: Beautiful new log sided, built in a rustic wooded subdivision of similar log homes. Three bedrooms, 2 full baths, stone fireplace, kitchen w/ granite countertops, hardwood floors, 2nd floor master suite w/ walk-in closet, 4th floor master suite w/ walk-in closet, 4th floor master suite w/ walk-in closet, 4th floor master suite w/ walk-in closet. \$199,900



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ELWELL MOUNTAIN, GREENWOOD RD.: TIMBERLAND for sale! Over 270 acres on four adjoining lots with frontage on the Greenwood Road across from Twitcheil Pond. Drive right up the road into this extra-large acreage and take in the views of the Pond & surrounding ridges. Recent forestry report on file confirms the value of this wood lot and, in addition, its location makes it ideal for subdivision potential. Call and ask for the maps. \$339,000



Bear Lane, Greenwood: Ski In / Ski Out from this spectacular & spacious new log-sided home on the slopes of Mt. Abram Skiway! Three finished floors of gleaming wood with plenty of space for family & guests. Beamed ceilings, stone fireplace w/ gas logs, 3BR's, 2 baths, gorgeous wainscot kitchen, downstairs family room, two entry mudrooms and a large wrap-around deck. All this on 2.46 acres adjacent to the ski slopes, in one of Greenwood's most prestigious neighborhoods. Lakes are just down the road and Sunday River Resort is only 15 minutes away! \$364,000



Off Rte. 26, Bryant Pond: Conveniently located on a nice, high 2.3 acre wooded lot w/ stone walls, this log-sided new construction boasts lots of elbow room for a crowd. Large kitchen w/ built-in island & eating nook, maple cabinets, tile floors w/ radiators, heart. Beautiful hardwood in LR, DR & Master BR, 2 1/2 baths, full length covered porch, master BR deck, walk-in closets, large 2 car garage & the lot goes on! Even direct access to snowmobile trails & ntn views from the upper floor! Final touches are being done now w/ completion soon so call us for a grand tour. \$225,000



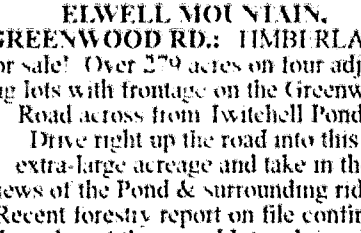
South Pond Shores, Greenwood: New chalet on over 100' acres with DEEDED 1 Acre! ACCESS to South Pond, a large beach and a boat dock! Top sided construction with lots of glass. 3BR's, 2 baths, stone fireplace, granite kitchen w/ granite countertops, finished downstairs laundry room, 2nd floor mudroom, 2000 sq ft of living area! plus log deck w/ copper accents. This very private & quiet extra large corner lot has easy access to the road that leads to Mt. Abram Skiway. Bethel & Sunday River Resort are only a few short miles away. \$199,000



English Woods, Bethel: This newly constructed log sided chalet on over an acre is a true four season home! Entertaining overlooking ridge views, on the large log railing deck or cozy up in front of the stone fireplace. Rooms 3 BR, 2 bath construction w/ hardwood floors, stainless kitchen w/ island. Lots of natural wood details and room to expand in the walkout basement. Skiing and golf at Sunday River, shopping in Bethel, river activities on the Androscoggin & family skiing at Mt. Abram are all within a few short miles. New subdivision of nice wooded lots & similar log homes. \$214,500



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Irish Neighborhood, 3 Miles To Downtown Bethel: Brand new log sided chalet with 3BR's, 2 full baths, stone fireplace, walkout daylight basement & huge wraparound deck. You'll love the rolling mountain view and its location so close to Bethel's downtown. This is a high, quiet 1.34 acre spot w/ quick access to shopping, dining, golf & only minutes to Sunday River Ski Resort. Also, snowmobile trails and beautiful lakes are nearby. This home is what living in Maine is all about. Let us show you this new home! \$229,900



Hayley Lane, Bethel: Just off Intervale Rd, this brand new log-sided chalet is less than 3 short miles from everything that downtown Bethel has to offer & just minutes from Sunday River Resort. Three gorgeous finished floors w/ natural wood interior, stone fireplace, open great room, walkout basement w/ family room, 2 custom mudrooms, wonderful screened porch, large deck and nice circular driveway are just some of this home's many features. Perfect location for the primary or secondary home of your dreams! \$274,900



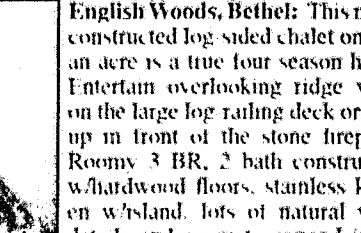
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NEW LISTING!

GREAT VIEW-GREAT OPPORTUNITY
Great location at Chestnut Knoll. Two bedroom contemporary home privately situated with wonderful westerly mountain views. Power has not been hooked up and there is no heating system. A wonderful opportunity at a great price! \$189,000

UNDER CONTRACT!

23 MAHOOSUC GLEN SUBDIVISION
ALMOST COMPLETE Custom built 4 bed room/4 1/2 bath home in Mahoosuc. 4th Subdivision Home includes a fully equipped kitchen for 2 to the Sunday River Golf Club, free shuttle service to and from Sunday River Ski Resort, use of the Jordan Hotel Health Club facility. \$795,000

UNDER CONTRACT!

HOWARD POND COTTAGE
Exceptional waterfront property located on pit-time Howard Pond. Open floor plan with stone fireplace and lots of glass overlooking the pond. Expansive deck and dock system. A very special four season waterfront property! \$179,000

SOLD!

EARLY NEW ENGLAND HOME
New England home w/ frontage on Sunday River. Well maintained property featuring 7 BR each with private bath. Scenic setting w/ tennis court, built in swimming pool & extensive perennial gardens. Minutes to skiing and golf. \$429,000

WELL APPOINTED CAPE

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Beautifully appointed 3 BR cape conveniently located minutes from Bethel Village, skiing and golfing. Fabulously decorated w/ meticulous landscaping and spectacular westerly views. Perfect year round or weekend retreat. Priced to sell \$349,900

UPDATED FARMHOUSE

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Updated country gentlemen farm located on picturesque 10+ acres, pasture, pond, prize milks and barn. Spacious four bedrooms, fire place, woodstove, wide wood floors, wood beams, root cellar, wine cellar, and outdoor fireplace. Bring your horses. \$369,900

SUBDIVISIONS

SWAN HILL AT INTERVAL • BETHEL
6 LOTS AVAILABLE • 1.41-2.91 ACRES
\$72,900-\$89,900

RIVER GLEN, INTERVAL ROAD • BETHEL
10 LOTS AVAILABLE • 2.25-5.5 ACRES
\$34,900-\$84,900

MEADOW VIEW ESTATES • NEWRY
8 LOTS AVAILABLE • 1.20-1.70 ACRES
\$72,900-\$89,900

ELLINGWOOD MTH, NORTH RD • BETHEL
3 LOTS AVAILABLE • 1.61-2.88 ACRES
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10 LOTS AVAILABLE • 1.00-1.20 ACRES
\$170,000-\$279,000

POWDER RIDGE • NEWRY
8 LOTS AVAILABLE • 1.09-3.23 ACRES
\$90,000-\$115,000

HARBOR HILL • WOODSTOCK
3 LOTS AVAILABLE • 3.13-3.25 ACRES
\$28,000-\$29,900

QUEEN'S LANDING • MASON TOWNSHIP
2 LOTS AVAILABLE • 5.00 ACRES EACH
\$49,000 EACH

WHEELER'S ACRES • BETHEL
2 LOTS AVAILABLE • 5.00-12.70 ACRES
\$49,000 EACH

MOUNTAIN BROOK ESTATES • BETHEL
2 LOTS AVAILABLE • 2.7-2.17 ACRES
\$32,000-\$40,000

PARADISE PINES • BETHEL
8 LOTS AVAILABLE • \$69,900 EACH
CUSTOM HOMES STARTING @ \$299,000

LAND

Douglas Rd. 45.5 acres.....\$499,000
Sunday River Rd. 7 acres.....\$499,000
Route 2: 25 acres.....\$495,000
Crystal Lake: 1.33 acres.....\$255,000
Awesome Paradise Lot: 1.0 acres.....\$249,000
Interval Rd. 28.6 acres.....\$225,000
Sunday River Lot: 1 acre.....\$150,000
Mt. Washington Views: 40+ acres.....\$143,500
Privacy & Views • Paradise Rd: 24+ acres.....\$142,900
Mountain Valley Subdivision: 1.47 acres.....\$139,900
Paradise Road Views: 2 acres.....\$139,900
Red House Farm Village 2 lots available starting at.....\$125,000
Sunday River Road Acreage 5.2 acres.....\$125,000
Albany: 42.55 acres.....\$100,000
Mountain View Rd Newry 7.9 acres cul-de-sac.....\$99,900
Webb River Waterfront Lot: 8.9 acres.....\$99,000
Sunday River Rd, ending well & septic, 1 acre.....\$85,000
Will View Subdivision: 1.8 acres, BEST LOT!.....\$84,900
In town building lot on Paradise 50 acres.....\$80,000
Interval Road: 47 acres.....\$80,000
Premier Taylor Woods Riverfront Lot: 1.7 acres.....\$79,500
River Valley Acres: 53 acres.....\$69,900
Sunday Valley Acres: 62 acres.....\$62,900
Near North Pond: 53 acres.....\$59,000
Bird Hill Road: 2.84 acres.....\$57,000
Nice Building Lot Close to Village: 8 acres.....\$55,000
Sunday Valley Acres: 50 acres.....\$51,500
Milton Plantation Scenic Lot: 34 acres.....\$51,000
Bird Hill Lot: 12 acres.....\$50,000
Interval Road: 1.6 acres.....\$48,900
Rocky Road, Woodstock: 56 acres.....\$39,900
Brook Drive: 56 to 217 acres.....\$32,000
Beautiful Open Lot: 15+ acres.....PENDING
Parker Road: 22+ acres.....PENDING
North Road Views: 11 acres.....PENDING
Sunday River Rd Acreage 6.7 acres.....PENDING

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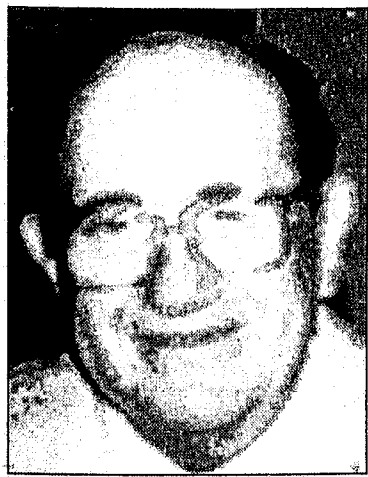
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Obituaries



DONALD M. CRESSY
Donald McClary Cressy, 90, of South Paris, died peacefully Friday, Oct. 5, 2007, at Market Square Health Care Center.

Born in Waltham, Mass., on June 8, 1917, he was the son of Walter and Susan (McClary) Cressy. He graduated from Beverly, Mass., High School and then Gorham (Maine) Normal School where he studied to be a teacher. He later received his Master's Degree in education at Rhode Island College.

He faithfully served his country in the Army during World War II.

On June 22, 1940, he married Vera Elizabeth Blake. They had been married for almost 67 years when she died in February of this year.

He taught for several years as an elementary school teacher in Unity, Maine, and then served as an elementary school principal in Connecticut and Rhode Island. He completed his educational career as a highly regarded junior high school science teacher in the South Kings-town, R.I., school system. He received commendations for

his work, particularly in developing science fairs and encouraging students to participate in both local and state science fairs.

After living in South Kings-town for nearly 50 years, he and his wife moved to the Heritage Heights/Havenwood Retirement Community in Concord, N.H., where they lived for 10 years. In 2004, they moved back to Maine so that they could be closer to their family. More recently, he had resided at Market Square Health Care Center in South Paris so that he could be closer to his wife who was a resident there.

Survivors include his four children, Allen Cressy and his wife Jacquelyn of Bethel, Janice Greenleaf and her husband Richard of Gorham, Maine, Donna Quinn and her husband Terrance of Merrimack, N.H., and Mark Cressy and his wife Karen Comeau of Winchester, Mass.; six grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren. He was predeceased by his wife, Vera, and his brother, Walter.

The family sincerely thanks the staff of Market Square Health Care Center for the wonderful care that they provided during the past year and a half and the staff of Beacon Hospice for their care during the last days of his life.

A memorial service celebrating his life will be held at the East Boothbay Methodist Church on Saturday, Oct. 20 at 1 p.m. to be followed by interment in Ocean View Cemetery, East Boothbay. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the East Boothbay Methodist Church, P.O. Box 11, East Boothbay, ME 04544. Online condolences may be shared with his family at www.westonchandler.com.



FLORIS A. ROBIN
Floris A. Robin, 71, of Hanover, died Monday, Oct. 8, 2007 at Market Square Health Care Center, South Paris. She was born in Peru on July 19, 1936, a daughter of Lloyd and Mary (Hoar) Knox. She graduated from Mexico High School Class of 1953 and the University of Maine at Farmington Class 1972 with her degree in education.

Floris taught school at the Andover and Bethel Elementary Schools and Special Ed until retirement June 2002. She was an active member of the Mexico Congregational Church. She was a devoted wife, mother, sister, teacher, and friend to all in need.

She was married in Rumford, on Dec. 13, 1958 to Roger Lucien Robin who survives of Hanover.

Other survivors include her son, Michael Robin and fiancé Celeste Freeman and her daughter Allison of Gray; a brother, Gary Knox and wife Sue of Connecticut; a sister, Lois Poole of Texas; a niece, Lisa Sagal and husband Mikhail and their children Scarlett and Liam of Rhode Island; a nephew, Christopher Knox of Rhode Island; a neph-

ew John Poole and wife Edith and their children Amelia and Matthew of Texas; and many loving friends. She was predeceased by her parents and a nephew, Jeff Poole of New York.

Her family would especially like to thank the caring and compassionate staff at Market Square Health Care Center in South Paris. They went "above and beyond" many times for her.

At her request there are no public calling hours but friends are invited to attend Memorial Services at 12 Noon Friday, Oct. 12, at the Mexico Congregational Church, Main Street, Mexico, with the Rev. Virginia Snapp-Cunningham officiating. In lieu of flowers, those who wish may contribute to the Mexico Congregational Church, 163 Main Street, Mexico, ME 04257 in her memory. Online condolences and memories may be shared at meaderfh@gwi.net.



PATSY JO COTE
Patsy Jo (Kendall) Cote, 51, of West Bethel, formerly of Baileyville, died Oct. 9, 2007 after a brief battle with cancer.

Beloved wife of Albert of West Bethel; dear mother of Margaret, Jamaica Plain, Mass. and Odette of Everett, Mass.; daughter of Mary (Cross) and Bill Hester, of Okanogan, Wash., and the late Lawrence Kendall; sister of Eric Kendall, Dona Taylor and her husband Joe all of Gilead; aunt of Patsy Cox of Gilead.

Family and friends are invited to attend a memorial service on Saturday, Oct. 13 at 1

p.m. at the Bethel Inn Conference Center, located behind the town hall in Bethel. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Patsy's memory to Androscoggin Home Care & Hospice, 127 Pottle Road, Oxford, ME 04270. Online condolences may be expressed to the family at www.oxfordhillfuneralservices.com

Card of Thanks

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To Judy, Norma and Irene for the rides and all they have done, taking care of everything.

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